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## Munich Beer Cellar Reported Hit By Bomb

The Press Association in London learned yesterday that during the attack on Munich on Friday night one stick of bombs overshot the mark and hit the famous beer cellar, starting a large fire.—Reuter.

## Writing On The Wall?

THE STRENGTHENING OF UNITED STATES ASSISTANCE TO CHINA AS A RESULT OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S RE-ELECTION WILL INEVITABLY CAUSE FRICTION WITH JAPAN, THE "CHUGAI SHOGYO SHIMPO," LEADING TOKYO COMMERCIAL NEWS-PAPER, DECLARED LAST NIGHT.

"Although we are still unable to conjecture on the United States determination, judging from the evacuation of Americans from the Far East we must conclude that she has reached a grave determination," the paper said.

## MYSTERY SINKINGS ANNOUNCED

Two ships, one British and one American, have been sunk mysteriously off the Australian coast, it was announced in Sydney yesterday.

Though the name of the British vessel is not given, it was revealed that the American vessel, the first American ship to be sunk in the present war, was the "City of Rayville" (5,883 tons).

While Mr. William Hughes, Australian Navy Minister, suggested a mine was responsible, the crew of the American freighter all suspect sabotage.

Mr. Hughes added that a mine had been swept up off Wilson's Promontory and announced that the Bass Strait, between Australia and Tasmania, was now closed to shipping.

The British vessel, it is learned, carried no passengers and all but one of the crew of 56 are safe. They landed in three boats and were attended to at two coast towns.

All but one of the crew of the "City of Rayville" have been landed in Australia.—Reuter.

## ITALY THREATENS

ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL ITALIAN REVIEW "RELAZIONE INTERNAZIONALE" IN ROME YESTERDAY, ITALY WILL DRIVE ON TO THE END AGAINST GREECE WHILE GENERAL METAKAS IS ABOUT TO MEET THE SAME FATE AS DR. BENES AND RAS TAFARI.

The review added that Turkey would court grave risks if she tried to carry out her obligations to Britain and declared that after the collapse of the Little Entente and the rearmament of Rumania, only the Greco-Turkish understanding remains in the Balkans.—Reuter.

## JAPANESE TROOP MOVEMENT RUMOUR

The United States Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, asked at his press conference in Washington yesterday about reports that Japanese troops were moving from South China to the Netherlands East Indies, said he had no official information and was unable to confirm any Japanese troop movements.—Reuter.

"We believe there is still room for reflection," said President Roosevelt's re-election indicates a stiffening of America's policy towards Japan in the future.

"Should Japan take the wrong course in her American policy she will be forced to face a crisis unprecedented since the founding of the nation. 'Coping with such a situation Japan should lose no time in forming an unshakable foreign policy by utilising the three-power alliance between Japan, Germany and Italy.'—Reuter.

## WEIHAWEI DEPOT GIVEN UP

The long record of British activity at Weihaiwei, one of the principal garrison points in North China for many years, has been brought to a close, at least for the duration of the war.

The British naval maintenance party, it was announced yesterday, has been withdrawn and all stores in the depot shipped to Hong-Kong for use elsewhere. This action is in accordance with the previous announcement that the British Government had decided to withdraw naval personnel and stores from the depot at Weihaiwei for the duration of the war.

## INDO-CHINA CALL TO COLOURS

Reflecting aggravation of the border dispute between Indo-China and Thai, the authorities in Hanoi during the past few days have been calling to the colours all French citizens between the ages of 40 and 50, according to a semi-official Japanese report yesterday.

In the meantime the Indo-China army in the Tonking area is moving a large force southward, while it is estimated that half the strength of the Indo-China air force has already been transferred to bases in the south, the Japanese report adds.—Reuter.

# R.A.F. GATE-CRASHES ON HITLER

Plans To Broadcast From Munich Hastily Countermanded



The pilots of one of Britain's bomber flights which might carry out raids on Germany are shown at a station "somewhere in England" receiving final instructions from the Intelligence Officer before setting out on one of their adventurous trips.—(Copyright, Fox.)

## SOME OF HEAVIEST R.A.F. RAIDS OF WAR

### MOLOTOV TO VISIT GERMANY?

A parley between the German, Italian and Soviet Foreign Ministers, to discuss the part Moscow shall play in the war, is expected to be held next week, according to a Rome telegram to the "New York Times" yesterday.

Place of the meeting is not disclosed but it is thought to be Germany, adds the telegram.—Reuter.

## ITALIANS DECEIVED

ITALIAN ARMY AND AIR OFFICER PRISONERS WHO ARRIVED IN ATHENS YESTERDAY REVEALED THEY WERE INFORMED THAT "COUNT CIANO, THE ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER, THE YUGOSLAV PRIME MINISTER AND GENERAL METAKAS, THE GREEK PREMIER, HAD AGREED THAT GREECE SHOULD ACCORD ITALIAN FORCES FREE PASSAGE TO STRATEGIC POINTS."

They were also told that resistance was met it would only be from uninformed Greek outposts. When they did advance one, were confronted by the first Greek resistance.—Reuter.

## CALLING UP ORDER

The younger half of the 35-year age group registered for military service in Britain yesterday.

The men affected are those born during the second half of the year 1910.

A new group of 20-year-olds also registered—those born between July 20 and November 9, 1920.—Reuter.

Italian bombers escorted by fighters twice raided Siwa oasis, in the Western Desert, yesterday, it was announced in Cairo.

"Slight damage was done, but six were killed and two wounded. One enemy fighter is believed to have been damaged.—Reuter.

"SOME OF THE longest and heaviest R.A.F. raids of the war were carried out on Friday night on industrial targets in Italy and communications and other objectives in Germany; Munich (where Hitler and many leaders of the Nazi Party were in the city celebrating the beer hall putsch of 1923), Milan and Turin bore the brunt of the latest British blows at the Axis war machine.

In Munich the principal target of the R.A.F. machines were the railway station and goods yards in the centre of the Bavarian capital. As the station is near the hall in which Hitler was making his speech, it is fairly certain that the Nazi Old Guard suffered a severe shaking up.

Strong forces of bombers were employed in the attacks on communications in Germany and operations began at a fairly early hour. British bombers also made a flight of about 1,300 miles over the Alps to attack industrial areas in northern Italy and returned to their base without loss.

Messages from Zurich state that the R.A.F. also heavily bombed the zeppelin base at Friedrichshafen, on Lake Constance.

The attack, which was unusually heavy, began at 9 p.m. and was still going on two hours later. There was heavy anti-aircraft fire and flashes of guns and bombs were seen from the Swiss side of the lake.

Alarms were sounded in Geneva, Bern and Zurich, among other places in Switzerland. Geneva had three alarms, the last ending just before midnight.

Other targets in Germany were oil refineries at Gelsenkirchen and Frankfurt, aircraft factories at Nuremberg and Amsterdam, 18 enemy aerodromes, Le Havre and the new submarine base at Lorient, in France.

Aircraft factories were bombed in Turin and Milan. The raids were admitted in yesterday's Italian High Command communiqué, which claimed that bombs fell on two barracks in Turin.

## MUNICH RAID ADMITTED

A German High Command communiqué admits Friday night's R.A.F. raid on Munich.

It says: "The enemy dropped bombs on Reich territory, scoring a few hits at Munich, Stuttgart and in Wurtemberg. Damage was slight."

The communiqué added that fires were caused "in residential districts" and that two people were killed.—Reuter.

In addition to 18 enemy aerodromes the R.A.F. attacked military objectives in or near 18 towns and ports in Germany and Italy or German-occupied territory.

An Air Ministry communiqué says that in Turin an aircraft factory was attacked and the Pirelli magneto works at Milan were bombed.

The communiqué continues: "Our bombers also attacked a large number of important targets in Germany and German-occupied territory, including oil refineries at Gelsenkirchen and Frankfurt, works and factories at Nuremberg and Amsterdam, goods yards at Hamm, Soest, Osnabrück, Duisburg, Ruhrort and the Hook of Holland, railway communications at Stuttgart, Mory, Saarbrücken, Mainz and Le Havre."

"Eighteen enemy aerodromes were also attacked, while Coastal Command aircraft made a concentrated attack on the submarine base at Lorient with good results. All our aircraft returned safely."

—Reuter.

## GRAMOPHONE WOULD HAVE DONE

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

Ending all speculation on a "German peace offensive," Hitler in the speech published as delivered to the Nazi Old Guard in the famous Loewenbrau cellar in Munich, declared: "The fight against England will be continued until we end it with our victory."

The centre of a tremendous ovation on the occasion of the Nazi Party's annual celebration of the unsuccessful Beer Hall putsch, Hitler insisted that Germany was "absolutely certain" to triumph and warned Britain that "merciless reprisals" against British raids on the Reich would be continued by the German air force.

Hitler (adds Reuter) said nothing new in his speech, which lasted over an hour.

Once again he attempted to lay responsibility for the war at Britain's door though he admitted he had made thorough preparations for it.

He said he knew the struggle would be hard but he was "the hardest German for centuries and the one having the greatest authority."

U-Boat Threat

Bremen radio yesterday morning broadcast a summary of Hitler's speech in which the Fuehrer referred to Mr. Churchill as "that arch-liar."

Hitler threatened an intensified submarine warfare against Britain.—Reuter.

## Did He Go Deeper Than Beer Cellar?

ANNOUNCEMENT THAT THE ROYAL AIR FORCE HAD JOINED HERR HITLER AT HIS BEER-HALL RENDEZVOUS WITH THE NAZI "OLD GUARD" AT MUNICH AROUSED AMUSED ENTHUSIASM IN BRITAIN YESTERDAY.

The gate-crashing bombers so upset the Fuehrer that all plans for broadcasting his speech to the nation were hastily countermanded. It is being unkindly hinted that he invited the "Old Guard" to take it as read and adjourned to the nearest dug-out.

(BY REUTER'S AIR CORRESPONDENT)

The R.A.F. raid on Munich during Friday night began, I understand, little more than one hour after Hitler was scheduled to speak there.

Hitler's speech was timed to start at 6.30 p.m. (G.M.T.) and the first British bomber reached the city soon after 7.30 (G.M.T.). Thus the Fuehrer would just have got well into his stride when the R.A.F. began their call.

He was due to speak for about two hours. The R.A.F. stayed until well after he had finished, the last plane leaving Munich about 9.15 (G.M.T.).

The British raiders, using heavy calibre bombs, also plastered shunting yards in the vicinity of the beer cellar. Hitler must therefore have clearly heard the crash and thud of bursting British bombs.

It is possible that this year the famous beer cellar celebration was not managed and that Hitler was elsewhere, particularly in view of the scare he received last year when a bomb, the mycelium of which has not yet been solved exploded and seriously damaged the cellar.

### Radio Excuse

It was announced that Hitler would be broadcasting at the scheduled time but towards the end of the bulletin it was stated the broadcast was cancelled.

The German Deutschlandsender announced at 6 p.m. (G.M.T.) that because all German radio stations now close down at 6.15 (G.M.T.), a fact generally believed to be due to the R.A.F.'s night visits, the Fuehrer's broadcast would not be heard in Germany until the following morning.

This is the first time the R.A.F. are known, speaking colloquially, to have "kept an appointment" with the Fuehrer, and excitement undoubtedly ran high in the squadrons selected for the job.

It has been the ambition of every man in the Service to give a lesson to Hitler and his "old school ties" as they are slipshodly known to the R.A.F. since they made it clear in sending.

## HUNGARIAN PLOT SENSATION

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

Budapest reports give brief details of an alleged plot by Hungarian Nazis to stage a coup d'etat.

Thirty prominent members of the party are reported to have been arrested as the result of the discovery of the plot, which it is suggested envisaged a raid on the residence of the Regent, Admiral Horthy, for the purpose of compelling him to appoint a Nazi leader as Prime Minister.

It is also alleged that the plans included the assassination of several Hungarian politicians.—International News Service.

## MR. CHAMBERLAIN: LITTLE HOPE

It was stated in London yesterday that the condition of Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who is gravely ill, is unchanged.

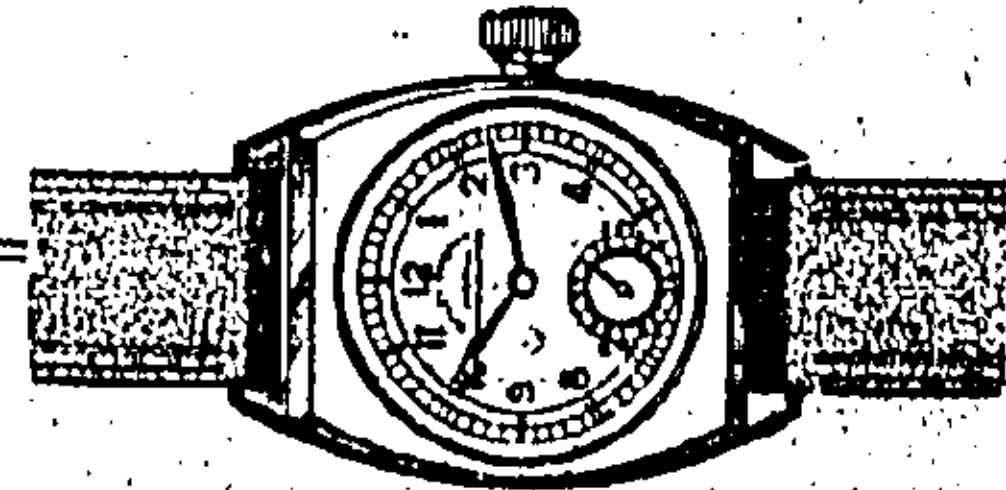
Mr. Chamberlain, it was revealed, is at his country home in Hampshire.

The King and Queen, it was added, recently visited the former Premier and stayed an hour.—Reuter.

I.N.S. adds that little hope is held out of Mr. Chamberlain's recovery.

## ONLY THREE R.A.F. PILOTS LOST

One of our pilots reported missing on Friday is now safe, and our losses on that day were therefore one aircraft and three pilots.—Reuter.



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# DRAMATIC S.O.S. FROM BRITISH SHIP IN ATLANTIC

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

AUTHORITATIVE CIRCLES in London yesterday pronounced German claims to have attacked a large British convoy 1,000 miles east of Newfoundland as "unlikely" though they refrained from replying in detail.

The Mackay Radio in New York intercepted an S.O.S. from the 5,000-ton British steamer "Empire Dorado" reporting that she was sinking slowly, with all lifeboats smashed and casualties on board.

## MR. EDEN DROPS OFF AT "GIB."

MR. ANTHONY EDEN, SECRETARY FOR WAR, HAS RETURNED TO BRITAIN AFTER HIS VISIT TO EGYPT.

The military authorities at Gibraltar on Friday issued a communiqué: "During yesterday afternoon Mr. Eden, accompanied by the Governor, Lieut.-General Sir Clive Liddell, carried out a series of visits to troops at the base to whom he addressed a few words of encouragement. He expressed himself most satisfied with what he had seen during his visit to our forces in the Middle East and with the successful way in which the garrison at Gibraltar was dealing with the situation."

## WARSHIPS FROM DERELICTS

Half a million tons of scrap iron and steel — enough to build 300 destroyers or 7,000 heavy tanks — is expected to be discovered as a result of a national survey of derelict properties being made by the Ministry of Supply and steel control.

Local Government officials of over 3,000 bodies are carrying out the survey. An index is being prepared of old buildings, houses, bridges, machinery and railway tracks. — British Wireless.

## THE LORD MAYOR'S DISTRESS FUND

The Lord Mayor of London's Air Raid Distress Fund rose yesterday by £10,000 to £1,488,000. The Lord Mayor of Sydney has sent another £10,000, and among other gifts is £800 from the Mayor of Krugersdorp. — British.

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FLAMES

# NAZI NIGHT HAWKS GIVEN HOT RECEPTION



A Nazi Dornier 17 machine which was brought down in flames on the coast and burning on the beach. — (Copyright, Fox.)

## RAPID GROWTH IN STRENGTH OF A.R.P. CORPS

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

HOW RAPIDLY THE strength of the Hong Kong Corps of Air Raid Wardens is now being increased was clearly evident when a "Sunday Herald" representative attended an attestation of wardens at the A.R.P. School, Happy Valley, this week.

At the weekly attestation, 136 fully qualified wardens newly signed attestation forms, this being a record number for one ceremony.

In Kowloon the following night at the A.R.P. Club in King's Park 61 new wardens joined the Corps.

After passing their final examinations, qualified wardens who desire to join the Corps make their attestations in the A.R.P. School on Tuesdays and

on Wednesdays. As they enter, each warden is given a long envelope in which is a warden's badge, a badge receipt, an identity disc, a history sheet, and the attestation form.

The warden then enters an inner room where the form and badge receipt is signed in the presence of the Chief Warden and Deputy Warden.

### Assigned To Division

In another room they are assigned to the divisional wardens of the districts in which they reside, and are posted to different sections. History sheets are scrutinized by divisional wardens and other details are added.

After this, the wardens are taken to the equipment room where they are supplied with standard size uniforms or are measured for new suits. Finally, they are measured for respirators, steel helmets and gumboots.

On another evening, the "Sunday Herald" through the courtesy of the Deputy Chief Air Raid Warden for Hong Kong, Mr. A. E. Gerondal, attended one of the nightly meetings of wardens in the Central Division.

The meeting was held in District "E", on the top floor of No. 252, Hollywood Road, in the heart of the most congested areas on the Island. Some 60 wardens, including several young girls,

American airmen — though these are volunteers in the strict sense of the term — are here with the Eagle Squadron. General de Gaulle's command has a "bond of discipline" and union with the British Army in love of freedom and unquenchable determination to drive the hated invader from his own native land.

While Polish infantry have been marching to the strains of Scottish bagpipes their airmen have already brought down well over 300 German aeroplanes in the "Battle of England."

The Czechoslovak forces contain many seasoned fighters.

### Holland's Aid

Dutch and Belgians are both preparing with Britain for the day when defence will be turned into offence, the Dutch as becomes a seafaring nation having rendered particularly useful service with the Coastal Command. Norway — whose maritime help is particularly stressed — has nationals training in Scotland, Nova Scotia and Toronto to carry on the fight in the air, on sea and land.

"This valiant band of free men bids fair with the nations and peoples of the British Empire to form an international army whose material and spiritual strength must in the end be irresistible — and with them are now allied the gallant Greeks, traditional protagonists of human freedom."

"He could hardly count on a single volunteer from foreign countries to fight for him. Hitler's Quilings join him either from fear of the consequences of refusal or for the sake of peace and profit and are just as likely to desert him in misfortune as they have been ready to back him in success." — British Wireless.

## NANKING OFFICIAL HACKED TO DEATH

Yuan Kee-king, 50, an official of the Nanking regime and former assistant in the Hangchow municipal government, was found hacked to death in front of his home in the International Settlement in Shanghai yesterday.

It is reported that Yuan had lost nearly \$25,000 in gambling recently. — Reuter.

were present under the District Warden, J. C. Lang, and Deputy District Warden, C. L. Chow.

### Indoor Exercises

Mr. R. Dormer, Deputy Divisional Warden, Central Division, gave a talk on the previous "black-out" and Mr. C. L. Chow gave a lecture on the Auxiliary Fire Service. After the talk, an indoor "air raid" exercise was carried out.

Coloured cards were used to indicate the different types of bombs, and to them were attached details of the damage caused. The cards were thrown on to a large board, a sketch of the district. After "raiders" passed, wardens rushed to the board to see whether "bombs" had dropped in their individual districts, and then filled in Report Forms for transmission to the Report Centre.

Several such indoor exercises were staged, after which wardens were addressed on collective training and teamwork by Dr. Lai Do-ming, District Warden of District "A".

Similar meetings are held every night by air raid wardens "somewhere" in Hong Kong, and the efficiency of the wardens is being thus gradually developed.

## New Heavier Guns Defending London

STILL MORE NUMEROUS AND HEAVIER GUNS WERE USED AGAINST GERMAN NIGHT RAIDERS ATTEMPTING TO PIERCE LONDON'S DEFENCES DURING FRIDAY NIGHT.

Main raids during the night were on London and surrounding districts, says an Air Ministry communiqué.

The attacks were heavy at first but soon diminished in intensity though they continued on a much reduced scale for some time after midnight.

Some were killed and injured and a number of buildings damaged but damage and casualties were less than the previous night. Raids were also made on other parts of the country: little damage and few casualties were reported. Many fires were dropped in the raids on London and these were machine-gunned from the ground and many extinguished. A high explosive bomb fell between a casualty clearing station and a shelter in which several hundreds were taking refuge. There were no casualties though several shops were damaged.

### Church Hit

Another church was hit in the course of the night. The raiders met with a heavy barrage in the Thames Estuary and somewhere two were shot down by British fighters.

A north-east town was twice raided during the night but the raiders made out to sea on being greeted by A.A. fire. — Reuter.

### Bombs Through Roof Of Factory

German air attacks on Britain up to noon yesterday were mainly confined to isolated attacks by single aircraft.

In the London area three bombs crashed through the roof of a factory and there were a number of casualties.

In another place bombs fell before the alarm was sounded. The bomber responsible was shot down later on the Sussex coast.

A Heinkel bomber was shot down at Wadhurst, in Kent, leaving a trail of smoke behind it as it plunged to earth. It had previously dropped bombs which did no damage.

In the afternoon, planes were reported near Liverpool and in the Midlands. — Reuter.

### Increased Activity

There was a good deal of Nazi air activity in the afternoon, and raiders were reported in the south-east, Midlands and north-west. Most of the raiders operated singly, dodging in and out of clouds. — Reuter.

## SWISS COUNCIL RESIGNATIONS

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

Two members of the Swiss Federal Council resigned yesterday. They were Rudolf Minger, head of the War Department, and Dr. Baumann, head of the Department of Justice and Police. The resignations have no special significance though they may have repercussions in the 1941 elections for a new President and Federal Council. — Havas.

## HEAVY RAIDS ON LORIENT

Further details of the heavy bombardment of Lorient, the enemy occupied submarine base on the Brittany coast, on Thursday night, are given in an Air Ministry news bulletin.

The target areas included a power station, naval workshops, barracks near the dry dock, ship-building slipways and railway approaches to the base. Many tons of bombs were dropped on these objectives and fires started were still visible when the aircraft had been flying half an hour on the home-ward journey.

Notwithstanding powerful enemy ground defences, large concentrations of search-lights and attempts at interception by Messerschmitts, the raiding force returned without casualties.

Coastal Command aircraft also bombed aerodromes at Abbeville and Lorient.

Buildings at Abbeville landing ground were fired and at Lorient bombs fell while the firestorm was lit and enemy aircraft taking off. — British Wireless.

## AN OLD JAP CUSTOM

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

The special delivery system for New Year cards will be abolished in Tokyo next year after having been in force for the last 35 years, says the "Japan Times."

Formerly every post office accepted New Year cards from ten to twenty days before January 1. The cards were guaranteed to arrive at their destination early in January bearing the stamp January 1.

The public are now urged instead to send New Year greetings to officers and soldiers at the front for which a special postal service has been opened. — Havas.

## GAS STATIONS NEW STYLE

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

Five service stations which will sell ordinary coal gas instead of petrol to car owners will appear in Tokyo next March, according to the "Nichi-Nichi" yesterday.

By that time 700 of the city's taxis will have been altered to run on coal gas. Meanwhile the Metropolitan Police Board has decided to reduce its official cars to one-third the present figure, and the "Nichi-Nichi" hopes other Government departments will follow suit. — Havas.

## MANCHUKUO TAX INCREASE

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

The Manchukuo Government will be compelled to enhance its revenues by raising domestic taxes and monopoly profits as a result of enormous increases in the Budget estimates for 1941, the "Manchuria Daily News" declared yesterday.

Next year's total Budget will probably be considerably in excess of the figures for the present fiscal year, despite the Government's policy of slashing budgetary appropriations. — Havas.

## HEAVIEST R.A.F. RAID OF WAR

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

The most devastating attacks yet undertaken by British bombers against Germany, which left fires visible 60 miles away and rocked war factories with explosions lasting 45 minutes, were officially disclosed in London.

British squadrons on Thursday night and early on Friday "severely damaged" the Krupp works at Essen, a new submarine base at Lorient, many aerodromes, ports, canals and other targets.

For over four hours medium and heavy bombers attacked giant plants in the Ruhr dropping the heaviest calibre demolition missiles yet carried over Germany as well as thousands of incendiaries.

Veritable cloudbursts of explosives and fire bombs scored many direct hits on one of the largest German armament factories, a vast expanse of which was reduced to a huge sheet of fire. — International News Service.

## HENGYANG HOLOCAUST

Upwards of 3,000 casualties were inflicted and \$60,000,000 worth of property was damaged or gutted by fire in Hengyang, on the Canton-Hankow Railway, in south-east Hunan, as a result of wanton Japanese air raids from August to October, according to a report to the "Ta Kung Pao," received yesterday.

Chen Chieh, main street in the city, extending from the south gate in the north gate was entirely devastated. Numerous hotels, transportation companies, restaurants, and shops were reduced to masses of cinder and rubble.

Four of Hengyang's six newspapers were also bombed, resulting in severe losses.

The bombings were the severest on August 10 and 15 when more than 100 Japanese bombers hurled tons of high explosives on the city for three hours. — Central News.

## FIFTY-FIFTY BASIS

A "rule of thumb" whereby Britain and Canada are to get 50 per cent. of the United States' war supply output was announced by President Roosevelt at his Friday press conference.

He said that this would include large loans of ammunition, of which the United States is already keeping 65 per cent. and selling 45 per cent.

He made it clear that this arrangement can be revoked "at any time" if it is to the detriment of the American armed forces.

It is officially stated that an army of 1,000,000 men will be ready in the United States in four months' time. — Reuter.

## MARIPOSA SAILING TO-MORROW

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

Over 500 American evacuees will leave Shanghai on the s.s. Mariposa on Monday.

Eighty-five will embark at Shanghai while 415 will board the vessel at Chingwangtao. An additional 200 will join the ship at Jinan, from which port the Mariposa is scheduled to sail on November 15.

The third evacuee ship, the Washington, is expected in Shanghai on November 17 and will sail for the United States on November 21. — Havas.



Some months ago a scheme was launched by which it was suggested to Guides that they should give up half a day's income or some of their pocket money as a gift to the Nation. £20,000 was to be their goal in order to buy two Air Ambulances for the R.A.F., costing £15,000, and a motor lifeboat for £5,000. The Air ambulances chosen are two Alpacard "Oxford" machines with specially fitted bodies. Photo shows Girl Guides jumping from one of the air ambulances after a ride. — (Copyright, Fox.)



# French Action Angers Chungking

## Transfer Of Concession Court Control To Nanking Regime

### Vigorous Protest Lodged

#### INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENT INCIDENT

A Chinese was killed in the International Settlement in Shanghai yesterday morning when a police reserve unit patrolling the area and searching cars challenged a suspicious machine containing six men.

The driver refused to halt and the police fired, killing one of the occupants. The other five, all Japanese, were arrested.—*Reuter*.

#### RUBBER BOOM IN N.E.I.

A sharp increase in orders from the United States and Japan has caused a sizable rubber boom in the Netherlands East Indies, a semi-official Japanese report from Batavia declared yesterday.

The United States, one of the best customers of the N.E.I. rubber industry between January and September this year, bought 235,311 tons of unvulcanized rubber, compared with 120,100 tons in the corresponding period last year. United States interests are expected to purchase 150,000 additional tons before the end of the year, which would bring the total to more than 350,000 tons compared with 170,000 for the whole of last year. Industrialists predict that N.E.I. total production for the year will amount to 510,000 tons, of which 94 per cent will be exported to the United States.—*Reuter*.

#### CHARITY DANCE

A Charity Dance in aid of relief funds was held in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel last evening under the auspices of the Hong Kong Students' Relief Association.

The ball-room was crowded to capacity and the function was very successful. In between dances, cabaret shows, in which leading amateur artists participated, were staged.

THE CHINESE FOREIGN Minister has lodged a strong protest with the French Embassy over the transfer of the Second Special District Court and the Third Branch of the Kiangsu High Court in the French Concession in Shanghai to the Nanking regime, stated a Chungking message to the "National Herald" in Shanghai yesterday.

Operation of Chinese courts in the French Concession will hereafter be considered unlawful and the French authorities will be held responsible for all consequences arising from the transfer of the courts, said the Foreign Office spokesman in Chungking.

"What we are more concerned about is the status of M. Henry Coudré, French Ambassador to China, now in Chungking, since M. de Mergerie, ex French Consul-General in Shanghai, has given tacit recognition to the Nanking regime as the lawful government of China," the Chinese-American "Daily News" in Shanghai declared editorially.

The Foreign Office revealed that the French Embassy had formally notified the Chinese Foreign Ministry that transfer of the courts to the Nanking regime had been effected under an agreement signed between the French Concession authorities and the Nanking regime.

#### Chinese Representations

The Chinese Government had previously urged the French authorities to reject all Japanese attempts to take over the courts, pointing out the danger of such attempts to the lives and property of Chinese residents in the French Concession.—*Reuter*.

#### LA SALLE RE-UNION

ESTABLISHED 18 MONTHS AGO, THE LA SALLE COLLEGE OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION HELD THEIR FIRST REUNION AT CAFE WISEMAN LAST NIGHT.

Some 70 members with their friends attended. Fr. B. C. Kelly, Warden of Rice Hall, Hong Kong University, was the guest of honour.

The President of the Association, Mr. Louis Allway, was in the chair. After reading a report on the activities of the Association, he introduced Father Kelly, who made a brief speech in which he appealed for more members.

#### R.N.V.R. TRAINING SCHOOL VISIT

In order to watch men of the Dominion undergoing special training for the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, Mr. W. J. Jordan, High Commissioner for New Zealand, has visited the school devoted to that purpose.

Those who attend are men with experience of the Merchant Service and deep sea yachting. To the number of 600, men from Great Britain and all parts of the Empire are undergoing an intensive course to qualify them for a naval career.—*British Wireless*.

#### STRAIN ON JAPAN'S MANPOWER

REPUTATION OF THE JAPANESE CLAIM THAT NANKING HAS LOST ITS STRATEGIC VALUE SINCE THE INVASION OF FRENCH INDO-CHINA WAS MADE BY GENERAL PAI CHUNG-HSI IN A REVIEW OF THE MILITARY SITUATION IN CHINA AT CENTRAL KUOMINTANG HEAD-QUARTERS IN CHUNGKING. THE SHANGHAI "SIN WAN PAO" SAID YESTERDAY.

If this line excuse were true, General Pai declared, then why did the Japanese capture the town at such great cost in manpower and resources and why did they hold it for nearly a year?

The withdrawal of Japanese forces from Nanking, he said, was due to their shortage of troops. Japan could only raise a maximum of 75 to 80 full divisions of troops and has up till now sent 42 divisions to China and nine and a half divisions to Manchuria, which means she has already used up two-thirds of her available men.—*Reuter*.

#### JAPANESE BRAND NAZI REPORT

According to the Doimet agency yesterday official Japanese circles describe a pure and simple fabrication a report circulated by the German Trans-Ocean news agency that the Japanese forces would evacuate Ichang within the next few days.

It was declared in Tokyo that Japanese troops have just completed mopping up operations round the port and have occupied Ninghsien, north-west of Ichang.—*Reuter*.

#### EUROPEAN WOMAN VICTIMISED

Mrs. Danbrowsky, wife of Sgt. H. Danbrowsky of the Hong Kong Police, walking in Nathan Road on Friday afternoon, was the victim of a snatcher who took her watch which was valued at \$60.



H.R.H. The Princess Royal recently presented on behalf of the Girl Guides Association, two aeroplanes ambulance—a gift from the Girl Guides of the Royal Air Force. Photo shows the Princess Royal examining one of the air ambulances. Air Marshal E. L. Gossage who received the ambulances on behalf of the R.A.F., is on the left. — (Copyright, Fox.)

#### CHINA'S CRY FOR LEADERS OF CHARACTER

"SOME SCHOOLS concentrate on preparing their girls for examinations, while others endeavour to excel in sport. Our aim is to prepare girls for life, so that when they leave the portals of this school they may be diffusers of light and life to all who come into contact with them," said Dr. (Miss) F. C. Woo, M.B.E., D.Ped., principal, when she presented her report at the annual speech day of St. Paul's Girls' College yesterday.

Among the official guests were representative members of the college Council, composed of: The Bishop of Hong Kong, Sir R. H. Kotewall, Mr. Li Tse Fong, Rev. P. S. F. Tso, Sir Shouson Chow, Bishop Mok Shou Tsang, Mr. J. M. Wong, Mr. P. K. Kwok, Mr. O. W. Luke, Mr. Tang Sui Kin, Prof. Forster, Prof. Hsu Yih, Hon. Dr. Arthur Woo and Dr. C. C. Woo herself.

The programme opened with the singing of the Chinese National Anthem, a brief prayer and the school song, sung by the assembled teachers and pupils. After

#### FUNERAL OF LATE C. V. CARLOS

THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. CECIL VILLAS CARLOS, OF TAO KWA WAN, KOWLOON, TOOK PLACE AT THE CATHOLIC CEMETERY, HAPPY VALLEY, YESTERDAY. THE REV. FATHER ANGELUS CONDUCTED THE SERVICE.

The late Mr. Carlos, who was 49 years of age, died at his residence on Friday after a long illness. He is survived by his widow and children, Mickey, Victor, Natalina, Yenny, Theresa, Alex and Lucy.

The deceased was with the Import and Export Department for some time, and later with the Far East Oxygen and Acetylene Company. Besides the chief mourners, those present included Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Delgado, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Delgado, Miss T. Delgado, Messrs. D. Bunten, J. R. Castille, S. Marques, A. V. Fernandes, Augusto M. P. Vietti, and many others. Floral tributes were from Mrs. Ronald J. Stevens, Raymond E. Devaux, J. P. Castille and family, J. Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Manalao, Mrs. I. Andrade and family, S. Marques, A. Rewah, Mr. L. J. De Biero, Rosalind and Apollo, Valerio, D. Bunten, Miss T. Delgado, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Delgado and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Delgado and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mathias, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Alves, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Aquino, and family, Miss C. M. Renato, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Fernandes, Peter and Albert Ulrich, Augusto M. P. Vietti, Mrs. M. Alves, family, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Laurel and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Triggs, Mrs. Bunten and Louis, Messrs. Switzerland Company, Fook Wo, Wei, Tung, Tung, Hing, Slat of the Far East Oxygen and Acetylene Company, and many others.

#### CAR OF D. O. NORTH STOLEN

Mr. J. Barrow, District Officer North, reported the theft of his car No. 1808, which was parked in Middle Road, near the Peninsula Hotel, between 7 p.m. and midnight on Friday.

#### HIGHER U.S. INCOME TAX LIKELY

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD") Hints were given in official quarters in Washington yesterday of all round increases in the income tax scale.—I.N.S.

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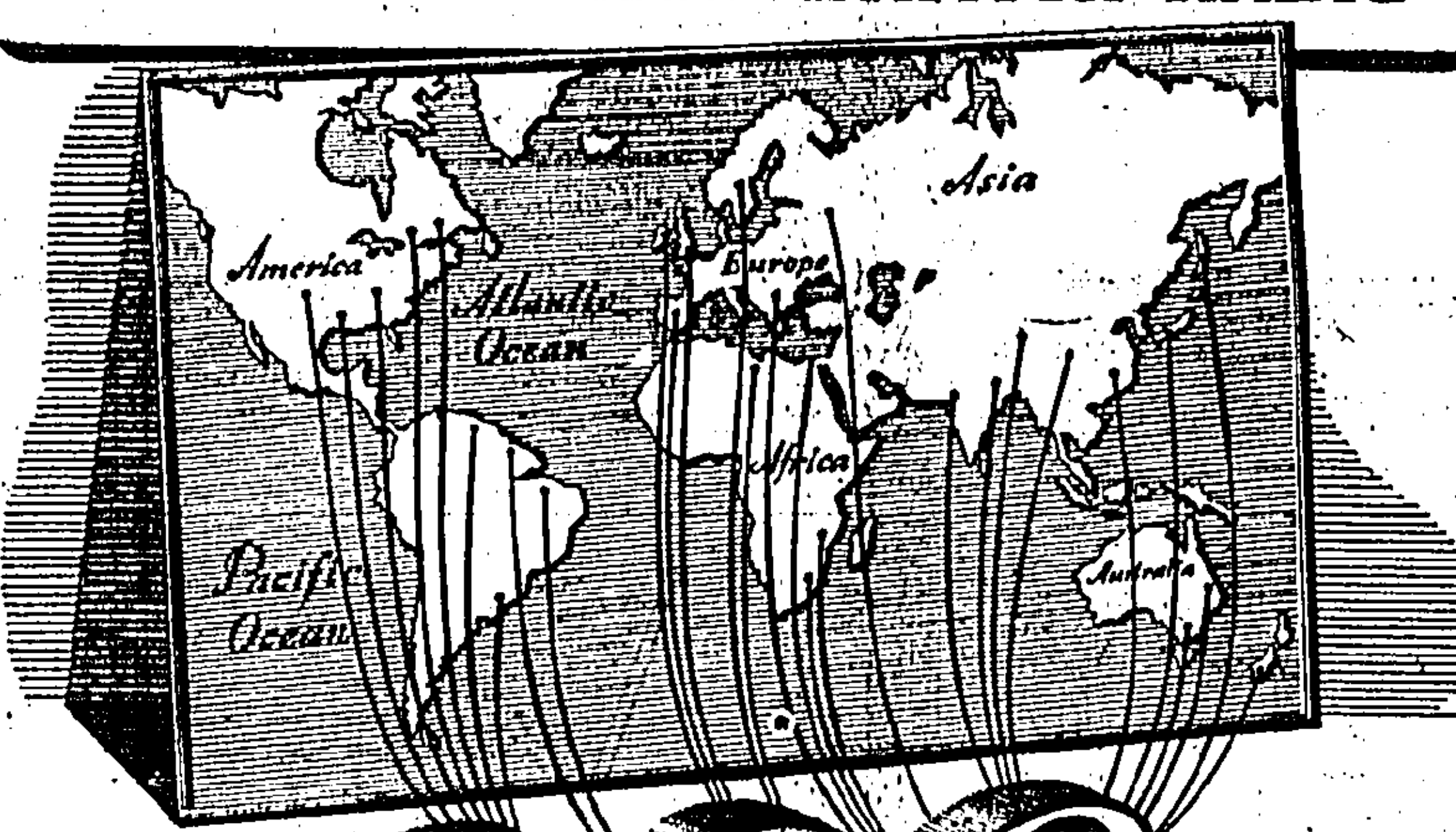
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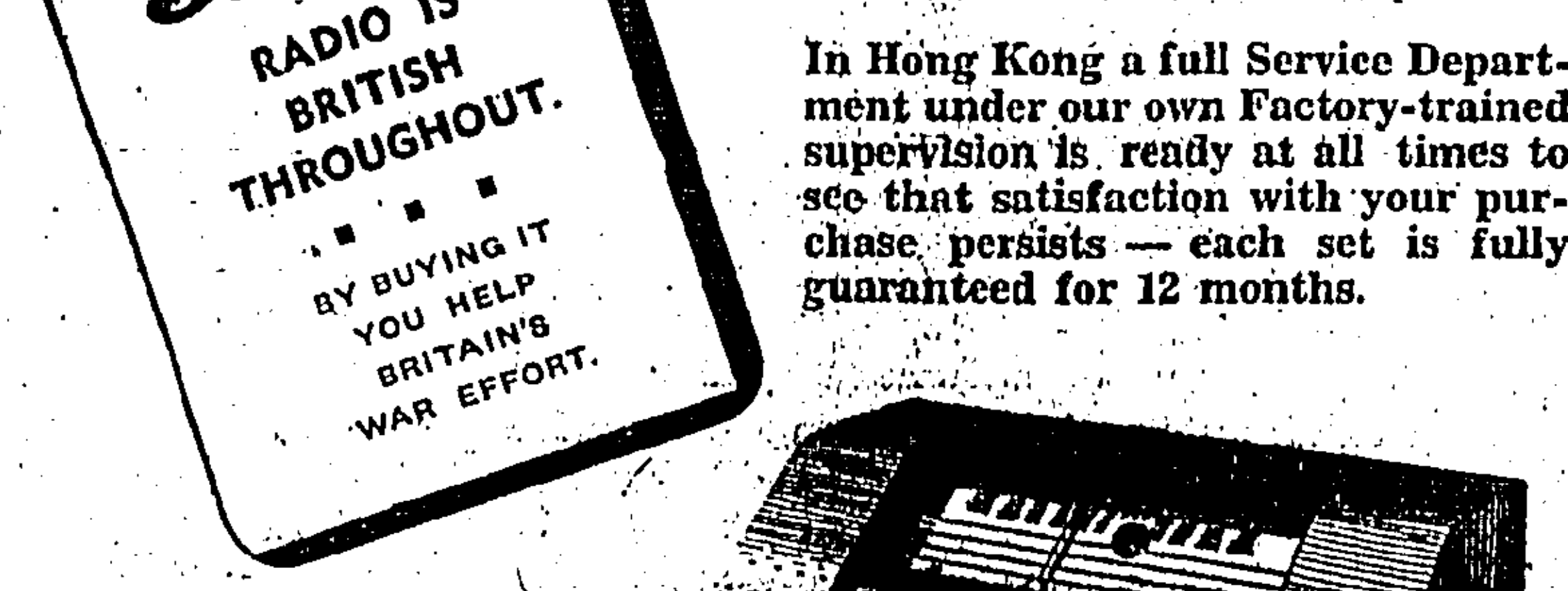
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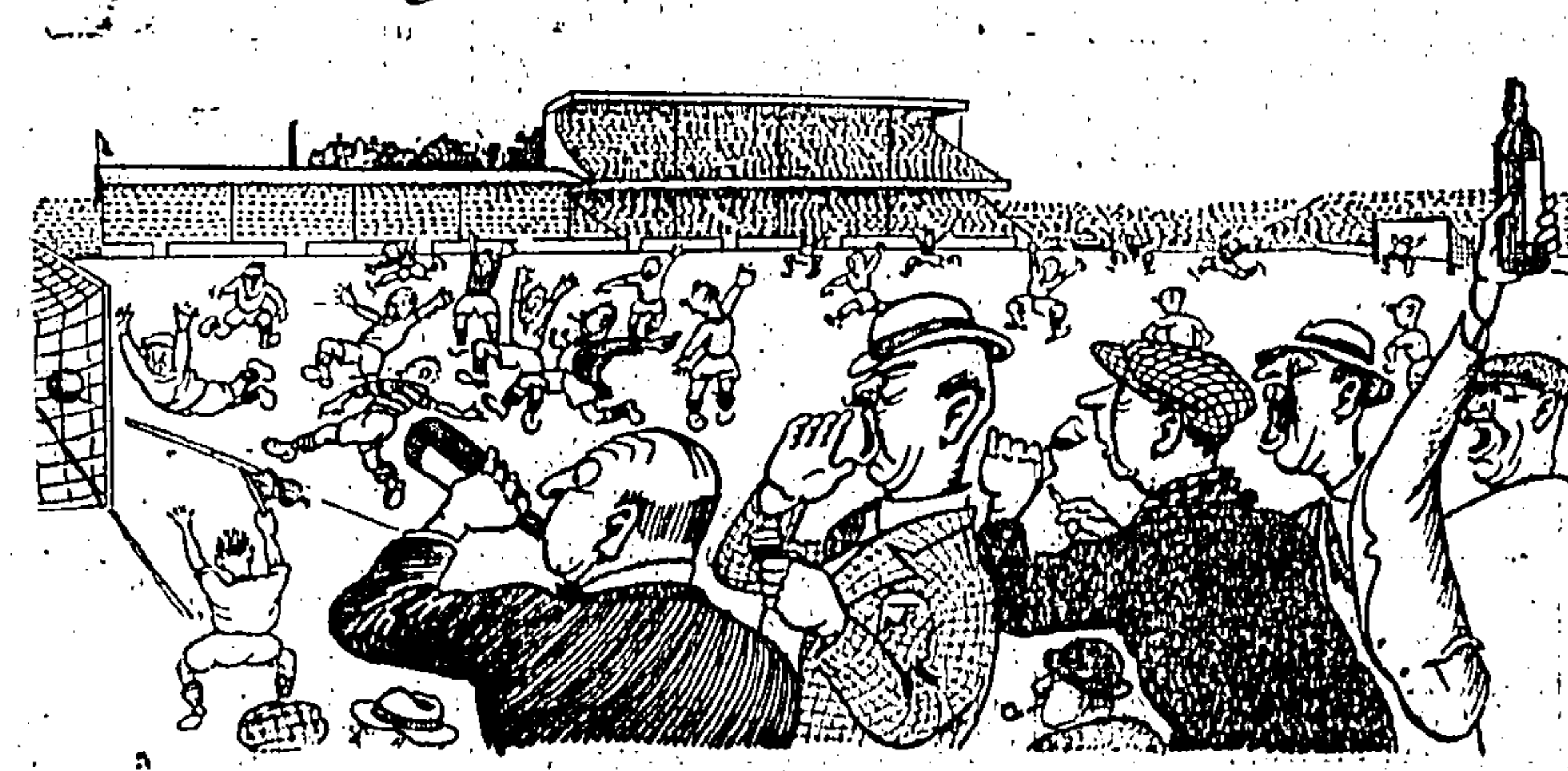


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# Skyscraper Hotel For The Waterfront

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

AN ELEVEN-STOREY skyscraper hotel is soon to adorn the waterfront near the Macao Wharf in Connaught Road West.

Plans for its construction were completed recently by Messrs. Chau and Lee, one of the best-known Chinese architects' firms in Hong Kong.

## MEASURE AGAINST SABOTAGE

AN ORDER ISSUED YESTERDAY UNDER DEFENCE REGULATIONS DECREES THAT NOTHING SHALL BE PUT ON BOARD ANY SHIP (EXCEPT ON A RIVER STEAMER) OR IN ANY AIRCRAFT IN THIS COLONY, EXCEPT AS CARRIED BY A PERSON, UNLESS IT HAS BEEN EXAMINED AND PASSED FOR CARRIAGE BY A REVENUE OFFICER.

The order is apparently a precaution against sabotage as Paragraph 7 states that the revenue officer may seize and detain anything which he has reasonable grounds to suspect to be or to contain an article likely to interfere with the efficiency or impede the working or movement of any ship or aircraft.

The master of a ship or pilot of an aircraft will be held equally responsible in cases of breach of the Order.

### THE NEW CHINESE CEMETERY

It is understood that the new Chinese cemetery at Wo Hing Street, Fanling, will be officially opened at the beginning of the Chinese New Year (Lunar Calendar).

Five cases (three from Victoria and two from Shaohkwan) of cholera, 17 of tuberculosis, five of dysentery, three of typhoid and two of diphtheria were notified on Friday.

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# IMMIGRATION BILL PROVISIONS

## Health, Sanitation, Defence Compel Control Measures

## SECURITY UP TO \$250 MAY BE DEMANDED

THE IMMIGRATION CONTROL ORDINANCE WAS GAZETTED YESTERDAY, GIVING POWER TO REGULATE THE ENTRY AND DEPARTURE OF PERSONS INTO AND OUT OF THE COLONY, AND TO PROHIBIT THE ENTRY OF UNDESIRABLE IMMIGRANTS.

The Bill is based upon the recommendations of the Singapore expert, Mr. Middlebrook, and the chief feature of the scheme is the establishment of an Immigration Department to take over the duties of the Police Passport Office and to issue entry documents, passes and certificates.

It is noted by the Attorney-General that the local issue of residential certificates is not new in the history of the Colony.

Thus by Ordinance No. 16 of 1940 to secure tranquility and good order in the Colony of Hong Kong and its dependencies and to prevent the resort thereto of abandoned characters and of persons without any ostensible means of subsistence, a Registry was established for the registration of all male residents of the age of twenty-one years and upwards capable of earning a livelihood; and registration tickets, for which fees were payable, were granted by the Registrar General to applicants who appeared fit and proper persons to be permitted to reside in the Colony.

The Registrar General was also empowered to prohibit from residing in the Colony vagabonds or bad characters without visible means of subsistence.

### Emergency Measure

7. Similar Ordinances have been enacted from time to time as the development of the Colony required, but generally it has not been found necessary or even desirable in view of the geographical position of the Colony and its composition of the majority of its inhabitants, to discourage free immigration until the overwhelming influx of refugees during the last two or three years made immigration control a necessity in the interests of health, sanitation and defence.

8. The scheme as at present envisaged is an emergency measure to meet abnormal conditions; and it is the intention of the Government to re-examine the whole problem as soon as the situation permits.

### BILL'S PROVISIONS

Some of the more important provisions in the Bill are appended.

Every person who arrives in the Colony shall, if so ordered by the Immigration Officer, proceed as directed from the vessel on which he has arrived, or from the point of entry on the frontier at which he has entered, to a depot until permitted to leave by the Immigration Officer.

9. The Immigration Officer may in his discretion refuse permission to land, or to remain after landing in the Colony or to enter or to remain after entering, beyond such period as he may sanction, to any person who—

- (a) is a through passenger; or
- (b) is not in possession of either—
  - (i) a valid passport; or
  - (ii) some other valid travel document establishing his nationality and identity and authorising him to travel to and enter the Colony, issued or endorsed, in the case of a British subject or British protected person, by a competent British official, and in other cases by an official having authority to issue or endorse such documents in respect of the person in question; or
  - (iii) a valid Entry Permit or Certificate of Residence or Frontier Pass issued under this Ordinance;

Provided that neither the possession of a valid passport or travel document nor any visa or endorsement thereon nor any Entry Permit or Certificate of Residence shall be deemed to imply that the holder will be permitted to land in the Colony, or, if allowed to land, that he will be permitted to stay in the Colony; nor shall it serve as any excuse for disobeying any deportation, banishment or expulsion order or any order or regulation made under the Emergency Powers (Colonial Defence) Orders in Council, 1939 and 1940, or under the Emergency Regulations Ordinance, 1922, or any Quarantine Regulation for the time being in force.

### Security

13. (1) The Immigration Officer may by order, notice or otherwise impose such conditions either general or special as he may deem it necessary to impose in relation to a person described in paragraph (a) or (b) of section 9 to land or disembark, whether for the purpose of residence or so-

journing in the Colony or for transshipment at a port in the Colony or, in the case of a through passenger, during the stay in port of the ship in which he arrived, and may at any time vary or add to such conditions as he may deem fit.

(2) The Immigration Officer may demand and take such security, not exceeding in value two hundred and fifty dollars, as he may deem fit to ensure the due fulfilment of any such condition.

(3) Any person who fails to furnish any security demanded under sub-section (2) may—

(a) be refused permission to land or disembark in the Colony and be detained on board the vessel in which he arrived; or

(b) be removed to a place of detention ashore and there detained pending an opportunity of returning him to his port of embarkation or of sending him to his destination; or

(c) if he is in a depot be either returned to the vessel in which he arrived or detained in the depot or other suitable place of detention pending an opportunity of removing him from the Colony.

### Vessel Responsible

14. (1) Whenever under any provision of this Ordinance any person has been refused permission to land or disembark, or whenever any person has landed or disembarked in the Colony in contravention of any provision of this Ordinance, the master of the vessel, if so ordered by the Immigration Officer, shall when necessary, re-embark such person and shall remove such person from the Colony in his vessel. If such vessel shall have left the Colony before such person could be re-embarked thereon, or in any other case with the consent of the Immigration Officer, such person may be detained at the depot or other suitable place of detention pending an opportunity of removing him from the Colony and all or any of the following persons, that is to say, the master, owner, agent, charterer and consignee of the vessel shall be liable to pay to the Immigration Officer all costs and charges incurred in respect of such maintenance and removal.

### Seamen's Clause

16. (1) No seaman shall land or disembark from any vessel except with the permission of the Immigration Officer. Such permission may be subject to any condition which the Immigration Officer may think fit to impose.

22.—(1) Every act, failure, neglect or omission whereby any requirement of this Ordinance or of any regulation thereunder is contravened shall be deemed an offence and shall be punishable on summary conviction by a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars and imprisonment for any term not exceeding twelve months and by expulsion from the Colony on the order of the convicting magistrate; and any security furnished shall be liable to be forfeited by order of such magistrate.

### CASE DISMISSED

Mr. E. Himsforth at Kowloon yesterday discharged Au Kit-ping, 28, a house-keeper formerly employed by a Mr. Yamamoto, when she appeared on remand on a charge of stealing furniture from Mrs. G. Lee, of No. 105, Austin Road. He held that the charge had not been substantiated.

### CLAIMED GIRL AS NIECE

When Hui Yue-po, a married woman, was charged before Mr. E. G. Sheldon, K.C., yesterday with keeping an unregistered multi-tan, she said the girl was her niece.

A remand for 72 hours was ordered for further enquiries.

### REV. FRANK SHORT ROBBED

The Rev. Frank Short has reported to the police that, between 8.15 a.m. and 11.15 a.m. on Wednesday, his wallet, containing \$110 in money and private papers, was stolen.

## First Choice For New Post

It was authoritatively learned yesterday that Mr. Robert Andrew Dermott-Forrest, M.A., has been appointed as the first Immigration Officer for Hong Kong.

Mr. Forrest is now serving as Postmaster General, but he will be relieved on the return from home leave of Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, the Postmaster General who is expected to arrive very shortly.

During his 21 years' service in Hong Kong Mr. Forrest has served in the following capacities: Chief Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, Deputy Estate Duty Commissioner, District Officer South, Senior Assistant Colonial Treasurer, Head of the Sanitary Department, and Superintendent of Imports and Exports. He has acted as Colonial Secretary in 1935 and in 1936, and once as acting Secretary for Chinese Affairs, in 1937.

The Assistant Immigration Officer has not yet been appointed.

### NC\$5,000 THEFT CHARGE

A 29-year-old barber, Sam Yiu, was charged before Mr. G. T. Lowry yesterday, with stealing \$5,000 in Chinese currency from a man in Des Voeux Road Central on Friday.

Defendant pleaded not guilty, and was remanded to November 15.

### RICE CONTROL

An Order prohibiting the export of rice except under licence was gazetted yesterday under the name of the Controller of Trade.

## PEARL RIVER OPEN

### Two Special Conditions

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD") Closed to all traffic, except military and naval craft, since September 3, the Pearl River was officially reopened yesterday by the Japanese authorities in Canton.

The local shipping companies concerned have, however, not yet received any official advice, and no plans for resuming the service have yet been made.

The resumption of services between Canton and Hong Kong and Canton and Macao is subject to two restrictions imposed by the Japanese authorities.

First, ships to Canton will not be allowed to carry more than 100 passengers, and

Second, all passengers, whether or not in possession of cholera inoculation certificates, will have to go into quarantine for examination.

The reason for the first restriction, it is explained, is that in Canton there is insufficient quarantine equipment.

Ships will not be allowed to carry cargo. This matter is still under discussion between the Japanese and British authorities. British vessels will be allowed weekly sailings to Canton and Japanese vessels, twice a week.

## POPPY DAY SALES

Remembrance Poppies were on sale in Hong Kong yesterday but the amount collected though stated to be substantial, could not be ascertained.

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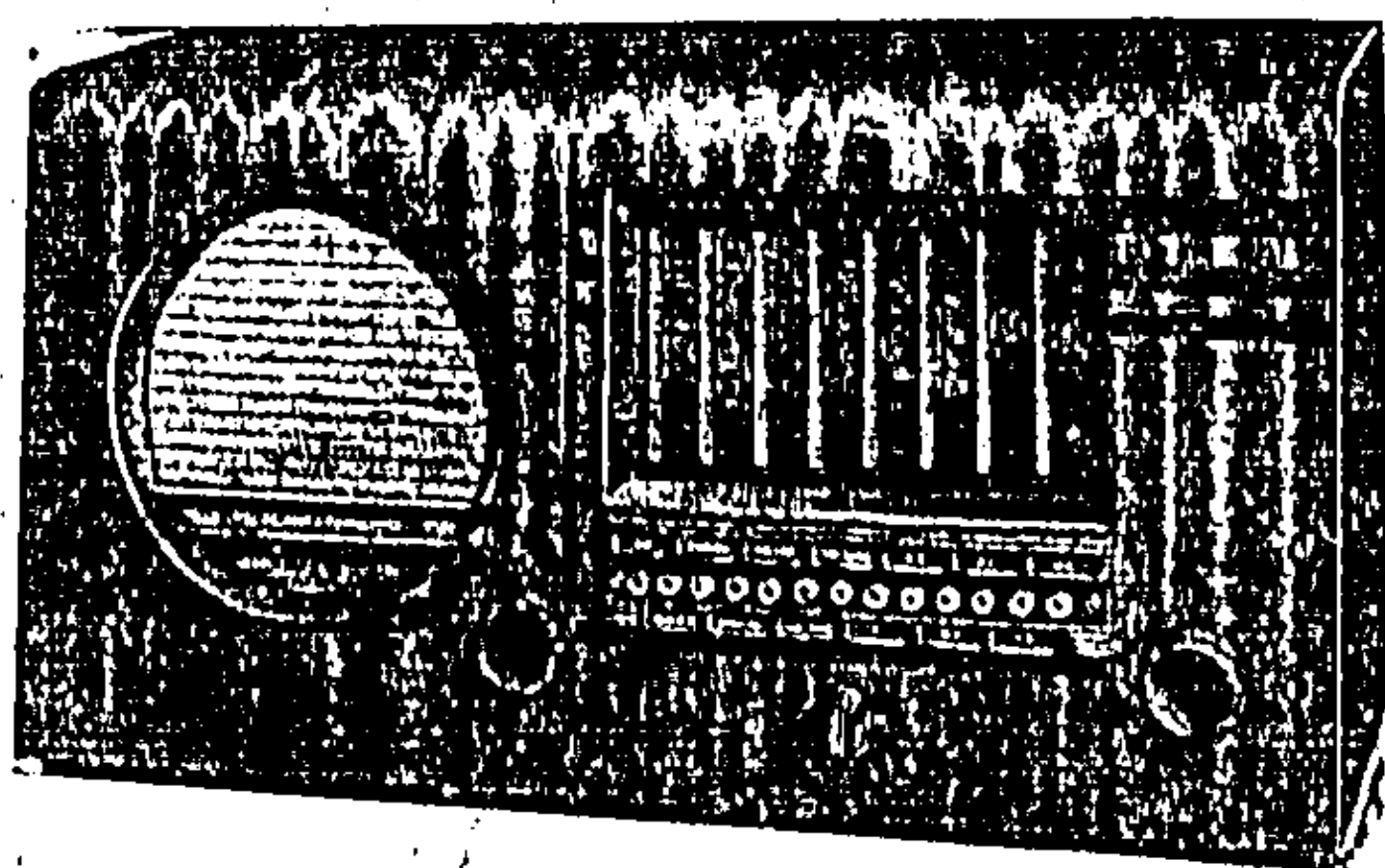
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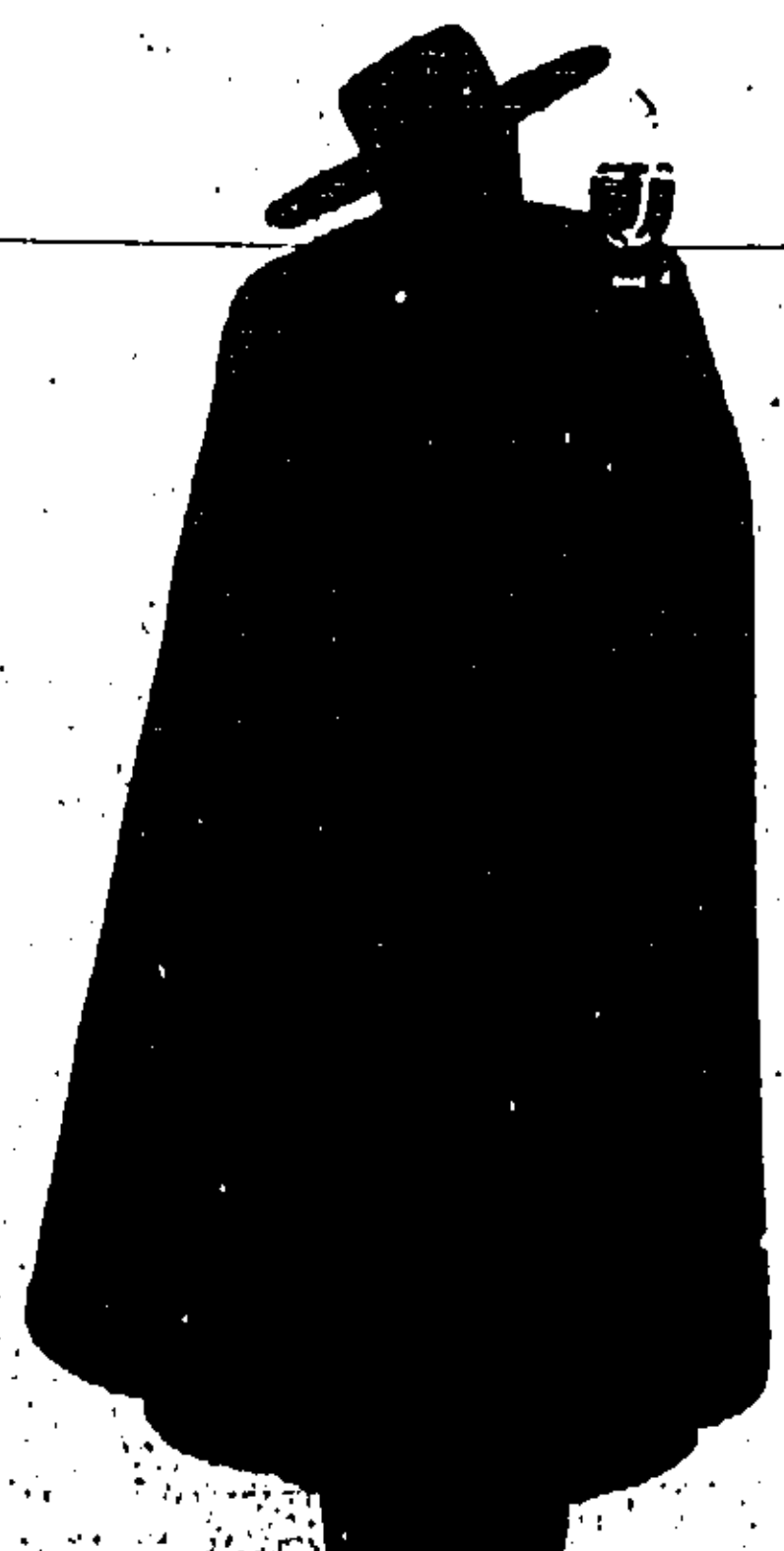
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The Declaration of Rights refuses worship to the idol of exclusive race superiority. That idolatry is largely responsible for turning Europe into a shambles. America, in my view of things, stands for liberty against any system of tyranny; for just peace and without. Against the violent domination of any party or people.

I deplore that right should in any part of the world be reckoned in terms of might. The Giant has a strength which, used justly under the control of reason, may contribute to the benefit and defence of his neighbours. It may also be turned against the security and happiness of mankind. The lust of war is the savagery of a jungle, not the prerogative of civilised human society. There can never be peace on this globe till men of good will everywhere strive by moral and religious principles to uphold the right and to triumph over hell on earth.

Well then, we must put mutual confidence into solemn pacts and covenants. We should frankly discuss differences that arise from changing circumstances and from the unexpected clash of interests, substitute common sense in place of senseless armaments.

BUT we need to be on our guard. Let us look to our liberties. We must fully understand the nature of this war.

It is not merely a struggle between nations, it is a conflict of the soul.

As Jacques Maritain wrote last June: "It is a war of everything

fundamentally this fight is for the things of the spirit, not for material gain. Not for strips of territory. A false philosophy of life—anti-Christian, and materialistic—is proposed or imposed by military machines. We want and we mean to preserve those spiritual values.

PAGANISM and Atheism are in battle array against the Christian values which helped to build up civilisation and when I say this war, in its deepest significance is a defence of Christian civilisation, I do not mean that we desire the preservation of the existing order. There is very much that calls for radical improvement in

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which is free against everything which is slave, in the very heart of civilisation. "That is why the favourite weapon of Hitler is the corruption of the ruling classes and of all the classes — interior treachery cunningly fomented everywhere."

Now I do not want to say a word in defence of my country. I believe in patriotism. My faith teaches that patriotism is part of the virtue of charity. For charity requires that we love all men in God according to our kinship with them. In the words of Cardinal Manning, my predecessor: "Our countrymen are our kindred. Their welfare, their peace, their prosperity ought to be the object of our most hearty, resolute, self-denying and self-sacrificing devotion. We are like men on board ship, all that are together have one common interest, they are all alike in peril or in safety." How true are these words at this moment but I can tell you quite decidedly that in this instant we are all united in the determination to live or die together, whatever may assail us.

Without in any way intruding into politics I may be allowed to express my admiration for the pronouncements of President Roosevelt who has shown himself a fearless Christian statesman worthily discharging his duty as head of your great North American Commonwealth. I imagine that every decent minded man, whether Democrat or Republican, will agree with him that peace can have no permanent foundation unless it is built on religious and moral values.

His condemnation of that exaggerated nationalism, which exalts one's own country or race to the detriment of other peoples must find an echo in every reasonable mind. I have read carefully the pastoral letter of Pius XII entitled "Darkness over the Earth," and I find therein the confirmation of your President's denunciation of the totalitarian system which enslaves the individual and the family to the party which had gained power in the State.

THE doctrine which assigns unlimited powers to the State, as the history of absolutism in every age has shown, brings fatal results to the internal life of a society and to its chances of healthy progress. It is also ruinous to the relations of peoples with one another. This principle of State-ship breaks the bonds which ought to unite commonwealths, it robs international law of all its vigour.

By this stateolatry the community of nations, which is meant by nature to promote the common good of the race is wrecked, men are rendered almost incapable of living together on terms of peace and good will. Capricious despotism overrules public opinion and the liberty of conscience. It leaves no room for honest agreement between men's minds, it destroys the efforts of mutual charity. That means war, and as Pius XII has well said, "By war we may lose everything: by peace, founded on the basic principles of justice, we lose nothing." These basic principles require that each nation, small or great, weak or strong, backward or advanced, shall keep its own liberties, shall have the right to its own life, to its own economic development.

"Wisdom," says the inspired writer, "is better than weapons of

the actual conditions, social, economic and political, of this country and of Europe. We are wholeheartedly and confidently in this struggle to secure a renewal — a reformation — which will oblige us all to apply in every sphere of life the principles of a sound philosophy. We are not fighting for the continuance of a disordered system, but to build a new one on just and moral foundations.

The Christian tradition is being challenged by the new pagan philosophy. Here we may all strike our breasts and confess that we have failed Christianity, not that Christianity has failed us or been

SOME writers dwell on the ineptitudes of England in ages past on her aggression and on her conquests. Quite right, England is not immaculate. Neither are all those who malign her. Who shall cast the first stone? But worthy or unworthy she is on the side of truth and justice in this conflict, and I am persuaded that our rulers did all in their power to preserve peace at Munich and elsewhere by agreed settlement of past wrongs. They received promises and pledges. Every outstanding grievance was to be remedied by arbitration. The promises and pledges were made apparently only to be broken.

I MAINTAIN that Britain has kept her word, and, looking back to the closing decades of the last century, I remember that she then entered into international conventions which were signed by all the Powers including Germany. I defy anyone to prove that Britain has not adhered to those contracts at least as faithfully as any one of the high contracting Powers. She stands now for the life and liberty of all nations, great and small, powerful and weak, and to me it seems a poor argument to hark back to our old sins in order to discredit our active opposition to the cruel wrongs that have been done to Poland, Finland, Norway, Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg. In favour of the Allies are the five peace points of Pius XII; his first pastoral letter to the world, his declaration about martyred Poland, and his telegrams to the heads of the invaded States, these peaceful, true, hardworking nations now crushed under the heel of their invaders.

Whatever be Britain's demerits I hope and believe that we shall end this war by securing the life, the liberty and the salvation of the souls of the peoples that groan under oppression. In conclusion, I declare, that for me neutrality of heart is impossible in this struggle. I see it as a great conflict between light and darkness. Whichever be the details of the controversy between contending nations,

found wanting. I see the dignity of the individual, the sanctity of the family, the happiness of youth, partly through the slowness of Christians themselves, sacrificed to the experiment of totalitarianism—that ugly word for an ugly thing. All this I see and much more, if the mechanised hordes of war-frenzied Nazis be permitted to overrun the free countries of the world. But this I know, Christianity will finally triumph if it be true to its standard. Driven back into the catacombs Christianity will begin its saving work anew. Kingdoms created by violence perish sooner or later because their strength rests on the "ambition which overleaps itself" and perishes in its pride. A Nazi Empire might possibly dominate and devastate Europe—and after Europe perhaps other continents—but its material power would be buried at last in the very corruption it spreads.

TO the United States of America we owe a debt of gratitude because inspired by your statesmen, you have taken, as Pius XII has said, "A prominent place in the vanguard of those who would promote peace and generously succour the victims of the war" and in the words of the same great Pope, in answer to the Christmas letter of your President, "We look for fraternal and hearty solidarity between the new and the old world in defence against the chilling breath of aggressive and deadly Godless and anti-Christian tendencies, that threaten to dry up the fountain-head whence civilisation sprang and whence civilisation draws its strength."

Over on this side, in this island fortress, though we hate war and all its attendant miseries, we detest other evils which are worse even than war. We resist tyranny over minds and lives, and conscience. We stand four square against aggression. In the words of our great poet: "Come the three corners of the world in arms and we shall shock them: naught shall make us rue if England to herself do rest but true."

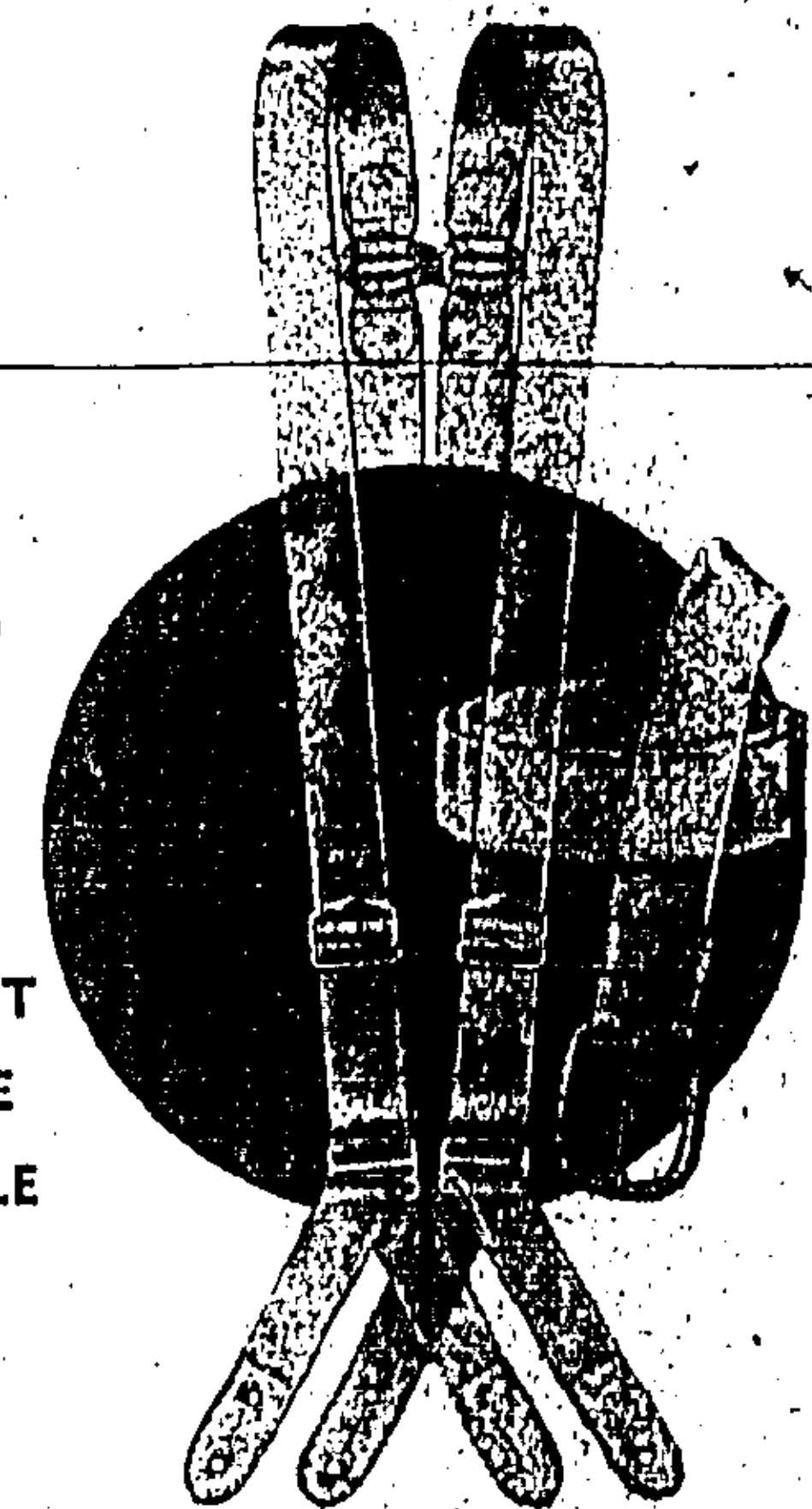
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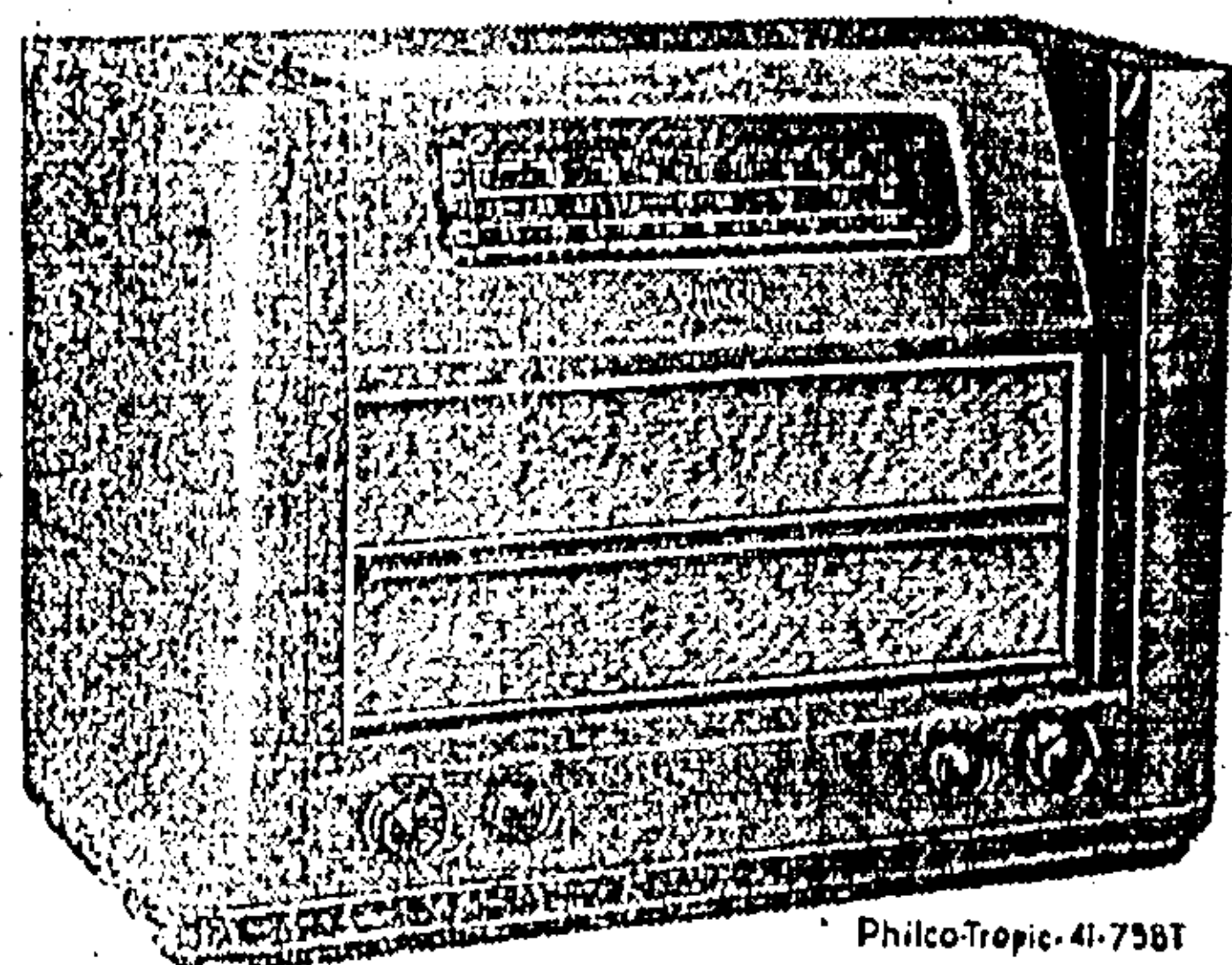
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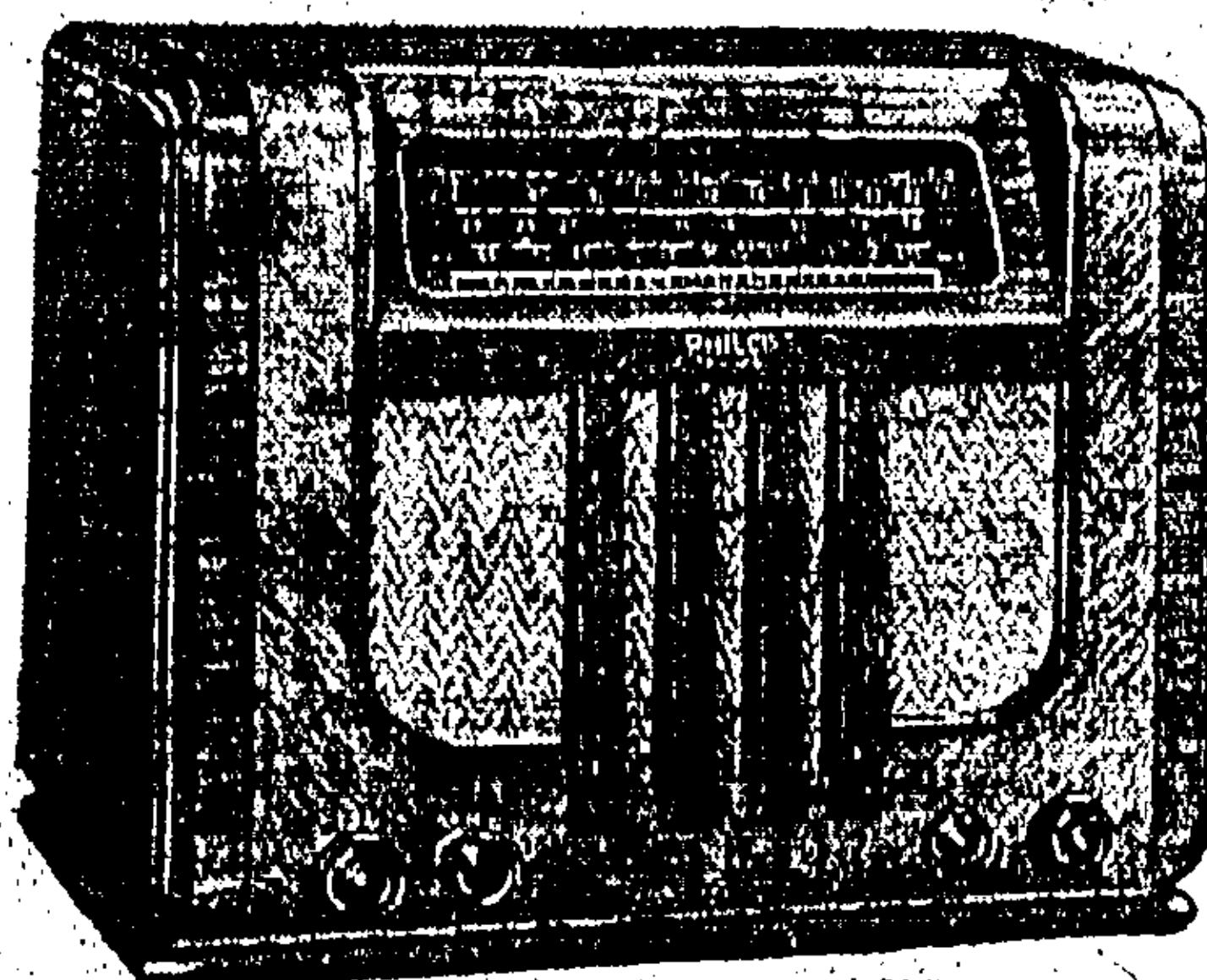
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## A Patriot Passes

TOWARDS the end of last August, we wrote in this column about a group of returned students who voluntarily gave up all chances of good jobs and the honoraria due them for their university degrees to go into the interior of China and work hard for a minute salary. Educated in Canada and the United States, they returned to a war-torn motherland and plunged wholeheartedly into the work of the Chinese Industrial Co-Operatives, that amazing organization which may well prove a vital factor in winning the war for China.

IT is now our sad duty to record the death "in harness" of one of them, Kenneth Yip, a B.Sc. graduate in mechanical engineering of the University of British Columbia, Vancouver. He did not die on the field of action, but there seems little doubt that the pace at which he drove himself, and his health and leisure, contributed towards aggravating the illness that finally caused his death. No medals, no burial with full honours — but Kenneth Yip could die content in the knowledge that he had played as vital a part in the campaign of resistance as those who perish in battle.

JUST before he died, Yip completed a brief but comprehensive report on conditions in the interior as he found them during an expedition of technical investigation, and a copy of this has come into our hands. Its precise, matter-of-fact sentences tell the story of dogged resistance far better than any polemic could do. Yip left Hong Kong in the spring of 1939, and after an exciting but strenuous lorry ride from Swatow to Kanchun, Kiangsi — south-east headquarters of the Co-Ops — he went on to Kian, where he began his tour.

DESPITE the horrible scenes of death and destruction that continually confronted him, he completed his tour more firmly convinced than ever that the people of China can hold out and ultimately win. "I have encountered everywhere no signs of weakening," he reports, "and from all I can observe and learn there is no lowering of morale among the common people, despite the fact that every city I visited had been disastrously raided by enemy planes. It is encouraging to see in every place I go the amazing cheerfulness and absence of misery."

HIS report continues:—"Those who have suffered enormous losses — their families broken up,

their houses destroyed — never complain of the burdens which they are bearing or of the sacrifices which they are enduring; and those who have given up comfortable homes and married to their country's cause never shrink under great difficulties. I am greatly impressed by their fortitude. These people have brought new life to this war of resistance against invasion."

SINCE ages immemorial, the Chinese woman's place has been in the home, and woman's suffrage something beyond the comprehension of either man or woman. But, as Yip found, "since the outbreak of the war, women have come out from their seclusion to shoulder the grave responsibility of freeing their country from aggression. The old idea of excluding them from social services has now been entirely abandoned. Nowadays girls, strong, well-trained and imbued with a high sense of patriotism and devotion, are seen everywhere in the army, in base hospitals and in warfare work. It is indeed heartening to see them, unflinching and unafraid, standing shoulder to shoulder with their male co-workers, dedicating their services to their country."

HE found much in the course of his tour to prove that in the south-east China, far from resources to aid her in her struggle to survive as a free nation; much of these agricultural and mineral riches are as yet unexploited and only await the magic touch of modern science to transform the vast area into a land of abundance and prosperity. Kiangsi, he found, is better off than the coastal provinces. "It has," he reports, "a greater depth of potentially rich territory; a greater variety of minerals and much more plentiful supply of timber. Ore deposits range from wolfram to tin and gold. On the fertile soil running all the way north from Duiyee to Nanchang are raw materials in universal demand — jute, hemp and tung-oil. In Yinkiang, Linxian and the coastal regions silver and gold are found."

"The vital problem is, of course, transportation, and this problem is being tackled with a will. Networks of highways are being built to link up the various areas and

UNTIL full reports come in, and an official statement is issued, it will not be possible to give a complete picture of what happened. But sufficient information of a reliable nature has reached our desk from Shanghai and Singapore to show that someone made a "bad bloomer" (Dept. of Under-Statement) somewhere. Towards the end of September, 58 volunteers left Shanghai, proud in the knowledge that at last they were going to "do their bit." Of these, about 30 got off at Singapore for service in Malaya, while the rest proceeded on to join the Indian Army. (The latter batch came to have got on all right). All left Shanghai under the same conditions. Although no promises were made, they were given to understand that a special eye would be kept on them and, after a trial period of about six months, they would get commissions on individual merit and the recommendations of the officers commanding the unit to which they were attached.

SEVERAL weeks before they left Shanghai, the Recruiting Office there notified all concerned that they were leaving on such-and-such a date, and, apparently, received no warning "if" signals. So the party set off in high spirits. But the lads who got off at Singapore found themselves high and dry, "not wanted here." They protested, wrote letters, sent all sorts of people to no avail. What are we to do? they asked.

SO far as we've been able to discover, some of them are still wondering. Someone had jobs as constables in the Indian Police Force. One or two, disgusted, accepted the offer but the majority pointed out, in no uncertain tones, that they had left good jobs back in China to come "down and join the Army and see some of the action." Another offer: Providing they paid their own expenses and proceeded to either India or England, they might attain unto their heart's desire; as an added inducement, they were told that their passages might be refunded if they were accepted. But few of them had the necessary spare cash.

T. W. GUBB, who resigned from a good position as Deputy Secretary of the Shanghai Municipal Council, was among the few that went on to India at their own expense. But not before he submitted a strong written protest to the British Ambassador. As we reported last week, P. Goble, formerly Under Secretary of the Supreme Court, Shanghai, and H. C. Glover, detective-inspector of the Shanghai Police, came up to Hong Kong and have now joined our local "Wavy Navy."

ANOTHER of the "Great Unwanted" was R. G. "Bobbie" Woodhead, son of H. G. H. Woodhead, editor of "Oriental Affairs." He came out to China a few years back and joined the "North-China Daily News." Besides being a newspaperman, "Bobbie" was also an enthusiastic volunteer and saw "active service" during the tumultuous times of the fighting around Shanghai in 1937. He was among the small body of volunteers who helped clear up the mess of corpses and wreckage around the Cathay Palace hotel after they had been struck by bombs. Subsequently, he joined the Shang-

hai office of Reuters, being transferred not very long ago to their Tientsin office. According to word just received from Singapore, he has now joined one of the Malaya newspapers, though exactly which one we have not been able to find out as yet.

SOME of the lads are still waiting in Singapore for "something to be done about it." Others, in trickles of ones and twos, are now on their way back to Shanghai, fed-up. In the meanwhile, the recruiting office in Shanghai is sending no more contingents from Shanghai to Malaya until it gets further word.

Edwin Haward

WHILE we're on the subject of Singapore, might mention that Mr. Edwin Haward, former editor of the "North-China Daily News," has arrived there from London to take up the post of Advisor on Indian Affairs, and Deputy-Director of the Far Eastern Bureau of the Ministry of Information. Mr. Haward was in Singapore in 1938, and all who worked under him or with him, rather found him a "boss," generous in praise for

Shanghai Lads And Singapore

THE scandal—and scandal, we submit, is not too strong a term for it—of the Shanghai volunteers who went down to Singapore only to be told they were not wanted seems likely to be as important in one sense as the local evacuation mess-up. There are rumours that questions are going to be asked in Parliament about it. Leading firms in Shanghai have protested to the British Embassy, whose Recruiting Office is reported to have been no less surprised than anyone else when the news came through.

work well done, and a staunch upholder of the rights and dignities of newspapermen—for, although some Hong Kong taipans may not believe it, newspapermen do have some rights and dignities!

EIGHT years or so ago, a timid young man, still feeling insecure about his position from dispirited quaked on the mat outside Mr. Haward's office, and despondently wondered if he would ever be one of the mystic fraternity exemplified in the men lounging casually about the place, calling each other by their first—or other appropriate—names and apparently not giving a damn for anyone. Some little time later, he was given a desk in that office and it to-day he is able to sit at a typewriter and bang out his own column for Hong Kong's only Sunday paper, he has the ever-watchful eye, crisp tongue and guiding hand of Mr. Haward during the next five years to thank for whatever professional abilities he may lay claim to.

IT WILL be noted that Mr. Haward's new appointment includes that of "Advisor on Indian Affairs," and there are few men who could fill the post better. From 1909 to 1928, he was connected with newspapers in India, including the "Civil and Military Gazette" and the "Pioneer." During the Punjab riots, he commanded a machine-gun volunteer battery, for which work he received the thanks of the Secretary of State. Since 1930 he has been on the staff of the Information Section of the League of Nations Secretariat, Geneva.

"Evacuates"

EVERYONE'S talking about this evacuation business these days, so we might as well join in the fun. Our own particular grouse is with whichever Government servants were responsible for using the word "evacuates" as a euphemism in the official statement released early this week. It is perhaps a sign of the times—well, a curious fact, anyway—that neither the Oxford nor the Webster dictionary give any derivative name for persons who are evacuated.

SOME time back, the word "evacuates" was coined and has come into universal use to denote

people who leave a country or district in the face of the storming of war but who are not refugees in the sense of the unhappy hordes which poured into France from Belgium or the Jews who escaped from Nazi Germany to America and Shanghai. But now some official would-be word-catcher has popped his head out of the pines of real type and tried to foist the word "evacuate" on us. Let us have none of it! "Evacuate" is a verb, yes—but a noun, never!

Weekly Grouse

DESPITE the fact that, in normal times, it is possible to converse with practically the four corners of the earth by telephone—remember the fuss over the opening of the link with Manila and Chungking?—it is like getting into touch with the Next World or an adjoining planet to try and contact anyone over the range of hills in the New Territories, Dur-

ing the course of this week, we wanted to go out Fanning-way to interview someone living there for this column. The exact address was unknown to us and to all and sundry in these here parts.

SO we started off by doing a spot of telephoning. After waiting for 10 minutes while the Kowloon

The King shaking hands with a school caretaker's daughter during a tour of the damaged London areas. The school was being used to house homeless people from the previous night's bombing, when it was damaged by more bombs. (Copyright, Fox.)

operator finished the book he was reading, we were put through to a couple of police stations out there after the other, wise guys. As usual, we couldn't hear more than one word in four, and they likewise. We gathered enough, however, to realise that they did not know.

THEN someone in the office had a bright idea. "Why not try the Registration Office? They should know!" So we ring up the Registration Office. "Is this the Registration Office?" we ask. "Yes," comes the reply. "Well, this is the 'Sunday Herald,' and we're trying to get in touch with a Miss (Blank) out at Fanning Do you?" "You have the wrong number. This is not the 'Sunday Herald.'" Pause for refreshments. Then another voice comes on the line. "We explain our predicament and ask if we can be given the exact address." "We probably have that address," was the reply. "Oh good," we chirped. "But we're not prepared to give it to you." Click! Pause for refreshments. And get they call them Public Servants?

Sports Note

WHILE we will strongly deplore any attempts to get sports items on this page, we were somewhat amused by a comparison in a recent South African newspaper of the present war with the first innings of a cricket match, in which the scores of the various countries are indicated by the number of days they have held out against the enemy attack. We have taken the liberty of bringing it up to date, and present it for your delectation.

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| A. U. S. S. R., run out               | 8   |
| C. Slovakia, c and b Hitler           | 8   |
| P. O. Land, c Stalin, b Hitler        | 10  |
| D. Enmark, run out                    | 0   |
| N. O. R. Way, c Quisling, b Hitler    | 62  |
| H. O. Land, retired hurt              | 3   |
| B. Belgium, stumped Leopold, b Hitler | 17  |
| F. France, c Mussoli, b Hitler        | 204 |
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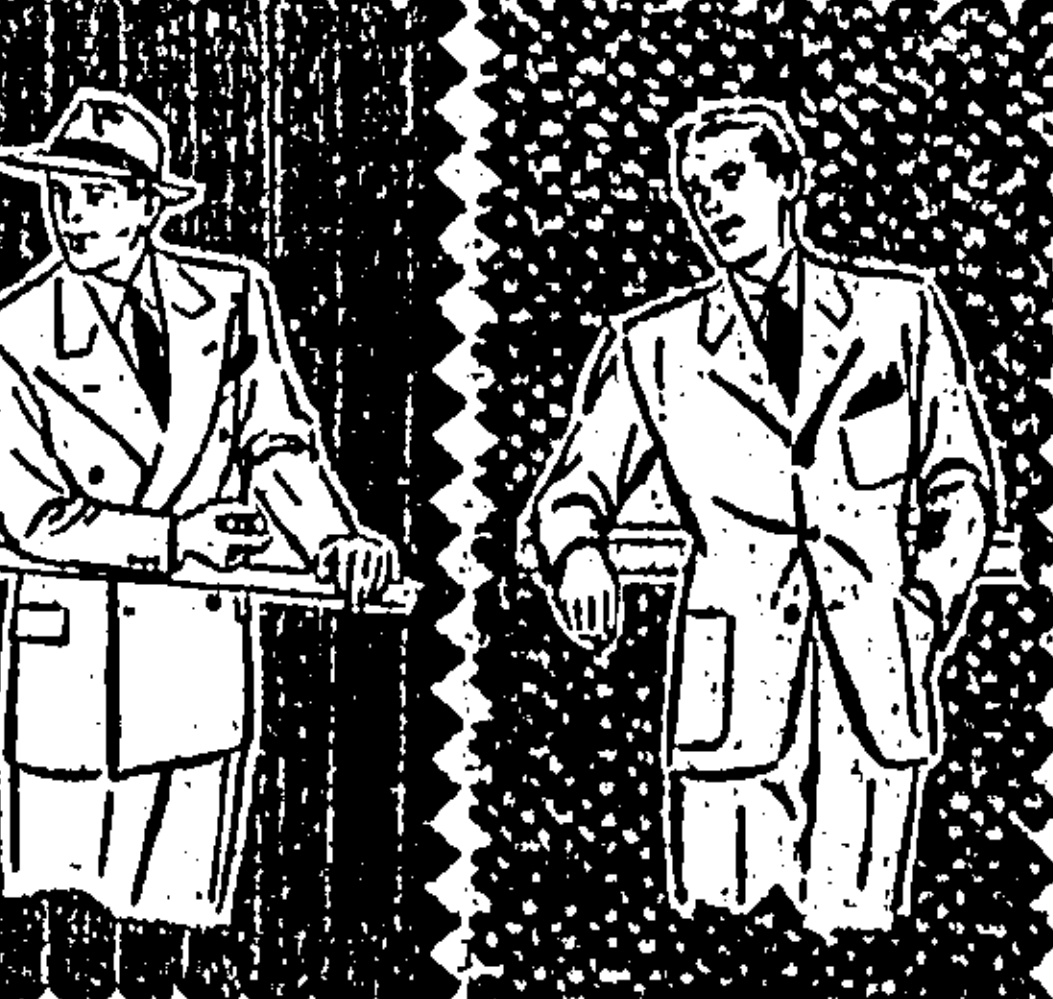
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Sir—I have had the experience, for I would certainly not call it a privilege, to have my appeal for the return of my wife to her lawful domicile, examined by the Advisory Evacuation Committee.

Not having had any previous acquaintance with Tribunals, Courts of Law and such, I must conclude that it is not necessary for a law-abiding citizen to actually become a criminal when it comes to make him feel like one. Last Saturday, when other unfortunate well-meaning citizens and myself were "tried" for the crime of endeavouring our best to have our family re-united or in some cases to be only allowed to keep under the sun, I for one, felt as if "His Honour" was going to do his Black Cap at any moment to pass judgment on me for a blacker crime than the cap itself.

The "Gentlemen of the Court" are there to perform a duty, they have been chosen for it, and it is only right that they should fulfil it with that scrupulousness that the circumstances may require and the Government expect of them. Granted! But is it absolutely necessary that so much sternness and severity should be added to the already very ungrateful task of disrupting and destroying all the most sacred rights of human beings and the trampling down of all those principles which family and society have been resting since man can remember?

Is it necessary to show so much lack of sympathy—one could almost say callousness—against people whose only "crime" consists in refusing to give up their rights to a home, family, happiness, means of livelihood and all those things of which life is made, which within a few weeks ago those same men of law would have upheld as the most sacred and inviolable for every human being, and to be pitilessly condemned in anyone trying to infringe them?

Is it necessary to make people feel so guilty because they want to hold on to those things that, strictly speaking, nobody has the right to take away from them?

There is a war on, a very bitter one, a struggle to death. We need discipline, the ordinary course of life must be diverted to only one end; we all know this and realise it, but why be so bitter? Why show so much lack of sympathy and understanding towards people who in their attachment to what they hold dear are slower or more unwilling to adapt themselves to the uprooting of all those principles which had been inculcated in their very souls for millenniums. The duty facing the gentlemen of the Committee is already, if I may be permitted to say so, a very hideous one. Each appeal that they receive may be the cause of untold misery, heartache, sacrifices and possible tragedy, and it is, therefore, necessary that under the circumstances one should be made to feel the most open antagonism of these "Judges" against the "defendants."

After what I have heard the other day before my case, one many, was examined, I have, with all those present, the clear impression that even before the cases were heard not one of the

good reasons brought by the "defendants" would be of any avail, although never a single sound reason is given to satisfy why it should be so. It is always a case of "take it or leave it," "ordinances such and such," and that's all.

As to the motives which may have prompted the Ordinances and above all the "distressing" and "unfair" way they have been applied, never a word, "Take your complaints elsewhere if you wish." "I am not here to discuss or advise," and so on. It is, in other words, a very one-sided affair, in which the "defendant," unless he is a lawyer himself, is at a disadvantage from the moment his name is called and he stands (I apologise, one is allowed to sit) in the "witness box."

After hearing one or two cases one realises the futility, ridiculousness, and I could almost say, cruelty, of the whole procedure and feels as if "sentence" is passed beforehand. It is clear that nothing short of the death of either husband or wife, preferably both for the purpose, will allow them to be re-united; in which case, possibly the unprotesting remains may be permitted into the Colony or allowed to stay.

And the exasperating and revolting part of it is that everybody, including the Committee, knows that the only victims of the Evacuation are the good-natured people who allowed themselves to be named in the registration of the many who afterwards managed to squeeze themselves out through some expedient or the less fortunate who were out of the Colony at the moment, in which case the other thousands but for the few who are really doing useful war work, are congratulating themselves for being more shrewd or fortunate or less scrupulous, and are having the time of their life!

But let us go back to the "trial." The moment the name is called, one of the gentlemen reads to you aloud the list of your "crimes," i.e. all the lawful attempts and, in some cases, expedients by which you have tried to keep your wife in the Colony or to arrange for her return. And this reading in itself is done in such a way that before it is over you are almost hypnotised, through surprise, shyness and anger into the belief that you have deserted your destitute wife with 5 starving children to keep, and, therefore, cannot expect any pity.

Then the questioning starts. Your private life, your business, your financial position, etc., are publicly reviewed and analysed, sorted, bit by bit, for everybody to hear, under the fire of cross examination, each one of the "Judges" taking his turn, with the result that half way through the procedure you feel so fed up with the world in general and yourself in particular for having allowed yourself into the hope of obtaining some satisfaction, that you could kick yourself under the table for your optimism.

As to the reason "WHY" your wife will not be permitted to re-man or allowed to return, or no

to the reason "WHY" thousands of women are still and will remain in the Colony; every attempt to break through the line of defence made out of "ordinances" and elusive replies, from behind which the Committee launches its offensive, are ignored and avoided.

I tried myself to find out "WHY," if the fact that my wife takes charge of my office during my business absences (4½ months during the last 12 months) should be sufficient to keep her given exemption because necessary to the stranger firm in which they work, and where there are large European staffs; but the only reply obtained was: "you probably refer to the stenographers," and the explanation, if any, was lost in another question quickly fired at me by somebody else.

Another still more striking example of the District Attorney system of the whole procedure was shown by another gentleman of the jury. Firstly, assuming the good faith of his intentions I allowed myself to be cornered into admitting that, in view of the war affecting particularly my business, as decorations cannot be classed as a necessity, my work is considerably reduced; secondly, that above all because of the impossibility of receiving supplies of raw material which I used to buy from Belgium, France and Italy, my trade must reach a standstill; and thirdly, that all this was causing financial losses which, in my opinion, I thought would entitle me to a better consideration of my case, and then, satisfied that he had me where he wanted, he came out with the following cheerful remark: "But if you have no work you will have no need for your wife to help in your business."

Sad, but true! How crushingly logical, I must admit! But how unnecessarily cynical!

And, honestly, could anybody think of more convincing reasons why my wife should not be allowed to return? However, I just touched the wood of the table for luck. When I recovered, I tried to convey that I was certainly not going to let 25 years of hard work go to the rack, and that I was making arrangements for supplies from elsewhere, but my words were lost in the whispering for the deliberation, which, by then, better enlightened, I knew already.

Of course, as a way to explain to me the conditions under which my

wife would have been allowed to remain, I was told that this was only permitted when the wife was in complete control of her husband's business and to this I felt like replying that, in my modest opinion in such cases, I would have "evacuated" the husband or sent away the wife for a rest, or as to give the husband a chance to do a bit of work for a change, and keep her instead.

This and many other things I would like to have said to the Committee; I had prepared a lot of notes, but I gave up when I realised that the only chance, possibly, one would have to obtain at least one embryo of satisfaction would be if one was allowed to take a lawyer along or be represented by one. Only a lawyer could talk back to the gentlemen of the Committee in their own language with the cutting, stringent and obstinate logic peculiar to men of the law.

All this I have written as a warning to the uninitiated who still believe that the Advisory Committee will endeavour to right some of the injustices which have been committed and are still permitted in the name of the Evacuation Law. I thought, like them, that this Appeal Committee had been set up to show some leniency to compensate for the bitterness which so much parity had aroused. I have now satisfied myself that it is there just to discourage our rightful efforts and to add insult to injury.

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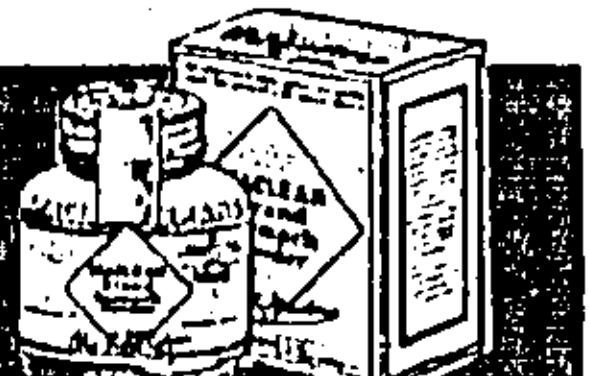


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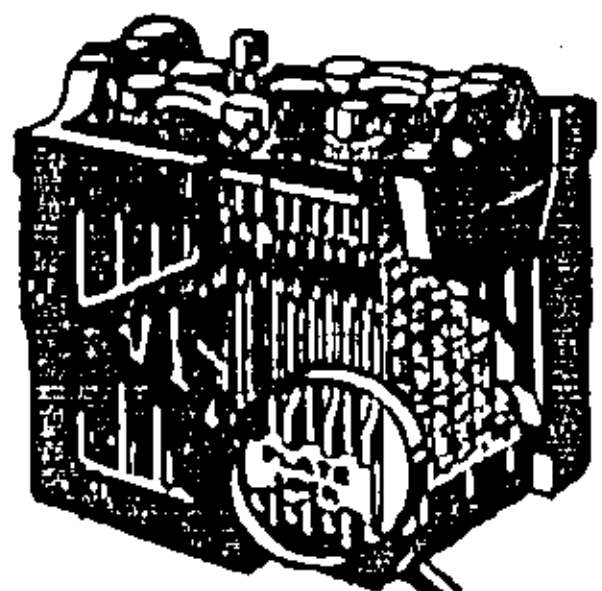
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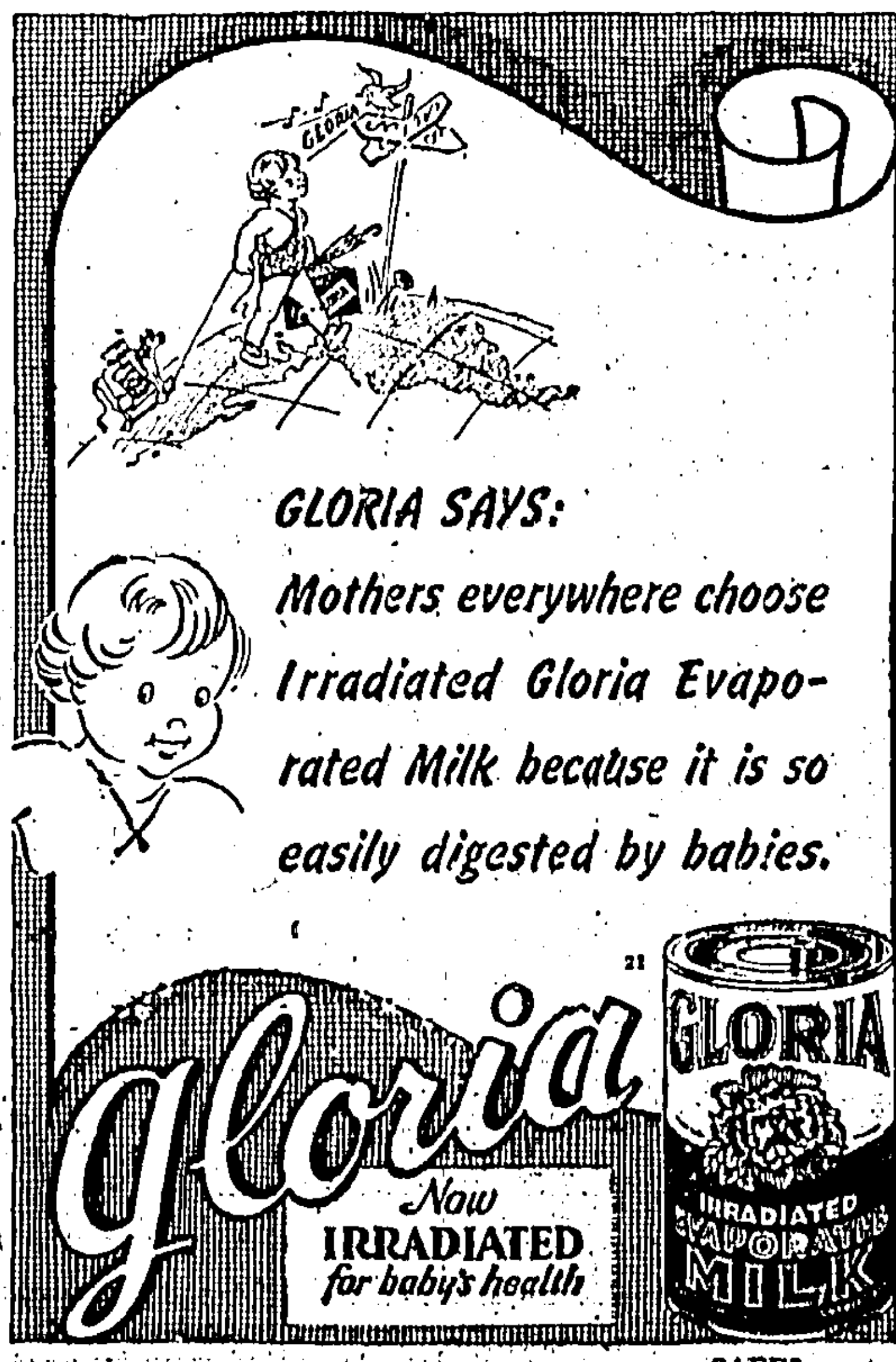


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# Japan And The Axis Gates Of Futurity In Far East

REVERBERATIONS of the ten-year Pact of Mutual Assistance entered into at Berlin by Germany, Italy, and Japan will be felt more keenly as the result of President Roosevelt's re-election. The Japanese press outburst indicates the dangerous trend of Japanese thought.

The crux of the Axis-Tokyo pact is in action three, which binds the signatories to afford military aid to each other if any one of them is attacked by a Power not yet fighting in the European or Chinese wars. That is, if the United States joins the Allies, Japan must declare war on her; and, conversely, if war develops between Japan and the United States, Germany and Italy must enter the conflict.

It is not difficult to see why the pact was entered into. On the Japanese side, there was clearly a desperate attempt to try and play off the United States against the checkmate the growing naval associations between the British and the Americans. Japan had to prevent an extension to the Pacific of the Anglo-American agreement reached in the Atlantic. So far as Germany was concerned, Hitler's aim was to open up new theatres of war further afield and to divert American attention in particular from the struggle in Europe.

This in itself was a confession of weakness, because Hitler, the arch-apostle of Nordic racial superiority, had had to invoke the aid of one of these Asiatic races which he has consistently described as destined by nature to be underlings to European overlords. The latest move ill becomes the man who declared that "it was the Aryan alone who founded a superior type of humanity" and who "represents the archetype of what we understand by the term Man." He was at great pains to explain in "Mein Kampf" that Japanese culture was only an adaptation of the Greek mind and Teutonic technical skill, and that, if Aryanism was withdrawn, this country, which could never create a culture, would become

fossilised once more, as it was fossilised 70 years ago, before it knew the cultural impact of Teutonism. It is too bad if these statements are allowed to circulate in Japan; while, if they are not, Japan is the ally of a country whose political philosophy is banned.

## American Reaction

The new pact, then, aimed at preventing the United States from interfering any further with Germany or Japan. Instead of being intimidated, the United States shows every sign of strengthening her policy. The reasoning of the Berlin diplomats was clear enough; but it overlooked two facts. The first is that the British Empire is still far from defeated; and the second is that such a pact, whether bluff or reality, will not deter the United States from pursuing her own clear destiny. If America acquiesces in the implications of its provisions, she would be accepting the results of defeat in a war before that war had even commenced. She could not retreat before the threat of the pact and still keep her world position.

The result of the Berlin pact has therefore been dangerous deterioration in Japanese-American relations. The "Asahi" has stated specifically that, "if the British and American Governments ban oil, rubber, and tin exports, Japan will choose an 'all-or-nothing struggle' rather than wait for death." Meanwhile, the Japanese have occupied bases in French Indo-China and have withdrawn their nationals from Great Britain.

The firmness of the American stand towards Japan, manifested as it was in the last weeks of a Presidential election campaign, and endorsed by both candidates, is noteworthy. Analysis of the strictly strategic position in the American Press shows how closely the country has come to realizing defeat, and how it is

looking to more material factors than diplomatic bluff in the crucial days that lie immediately ahead.

## The Gates Of Futurity

This stand also raises direct issues for the British Empire. Geography has placed the British Dominions in a position where they must of necessity play a leading role in coming to the decisions that must inevitably be made in the next few weeks. The Pacific

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Powers are on the threshold of their new destiny, and the issues can neither be shirked nor postponed.

The pact also affects Europe. One of the most intriguing clauses said that nothing it contained would alter the political relationships at present existing between the three signatories and Russia. This was a confession of uncertainty. One would have thought that Russia might have had something to say about it, because after all, the pact was aimed at redistributing world power!

Germany's frenzied efforts to bring Spain into the war is a further confession of her uncertainty regarding the European situation. Obviously Spain does not think that an early German victory is certain and does not want to repeat the mistake that Italy made by acting so precipitately last June. The decision is the more significant because Spain is so amenable to the newest forms of Axis-pressure and because nobody can accuse the Franco regime of being pro-British, especially since the latest purge in a Falangist direction. The decision of Spain is the best tribute yet paid to the work of the Royal Air Force and the British Navy in the last few months.

## The Mediterranean Threat

The German failure over Britain and the enforced postponement of the invasion plans necessarily turn the Nazi spotlight on to the Mediterranean theatre of war. There, the Italian offensive still remains stationary at Sidi Barrani. Italian efforts to take over the French warplanes in Syria and to make that country a strategic ally to the offensive have been checked; while the longstanding aim of a penetration eastwards through Greece has only resulted in stalemate on the Albanian frontier.

The German attempt to induce Bulgaria to demand a territorial revision in Thrace and to expand the Aegean seems to have been no more successful. For an army of two million men, an air force of 2,800 machines, and the fourth navy in the world, the Italian military effort seems curiously inadequate; and this fact is not likely to be overlooked. Mussolini will also find himself hard pressed to explain why fresh detachments of British troops have been permitted to land at Malta, when his newspapers had repeatedly boasted that "Malta would fall like an over-ripe plum from a tree once war broke out."

Nevertheless, as checkmate over Britain continues, Hitler will almost certainly have to goad up activity in northern Africa and the Balkans for that is the only strategic possibility which would enable the Axis to strike with a reasonable prospect of success in the next few months. The protracted stand of England has thrown all of Hitler's military plans into the discard. Strategically he is at the crossroads.

# The Germans Are Losing

IT is a great privilege to live in London these days. Because in London alone one can be an eye-witness of the decisive turning-point of the War—perhaps the decisive, turning-point of world-history.

Let us turn back to those world-shaking September days of Paris and the Marne 20 years ago. The situation is the same to-day.

Then the Germans, after astounding victories, after an advance at unprecedented speed through Belgium and Northern France, felt on top of the world. They threw all they had against the Marne Line and Paris in a supreme bid for decisive victory.

Victory meant that the Blitzkrieg of 1914 was won. Failure meant a long war of attrition which the Germans could never win.

But, of course, the Germans felt that failure was out of the ques-

tion. The Kaiser was at the front. The French were already groggy, and just about to receive the knock-out.

And then came failure. Nothing melodramatic. There was no shattering defeat, no annihilation of the German armies.

Only, there had been the decisive failure. Paris stood. The Anglo-French armies stood. Day after day went by, and the great news of victory failed to come. Instead there came the trench-war, and the hopeless war of attrition which Germany could never win.

At the time, in 1914, no Germans outside the military High Command knew that Germany had suffered the decisive defeat. For years to come they did not know. Nobody told them. Up to the summer of 1917 even members of the Reichstag did not know that the German War Plan had been defeated and that the war had been virtually lost three years earlier.

It was only late in 1917 that this haunting knowledge of failure began to seep through to Germany. But with its spread German fighting morale began slowly to crumble. The result was November 1918.

Three years were lost before the failure of the Marne was brought home to the Germans, three years full of tragedy and slaughter which could have been spared.

To-day we witness the same drama again. Again the Germans have had intoxicating victories. Again they are told that only a last effort is needed.

The British, "covering in" shells and cursing the plutocratic Churchill Government about to receive the final shattering blow. The stage set. Goering in personal command of air operations; the German people, raised to feverish expectation, sitting round the loudspeakers, taking in the great super-special news; London razed to the ground; Britain surrenders.

It is now or never, it is der Tag. The trump card is on the table, the crack squadrons of the Luftwaffe, for whose sake the Germans went hungry for years, hurl

in clouds across the Channel. Already, for the Germans round the loudspeakers, London is "a shambles, wrapped in fire and smoke." In a few days, at most a few weeks, all will be over! Victorious Germany rules the world.

And again the bid for victory is smashed.

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We in London, know it. Again nothing melodramatic is happening. Only the annihilation of the whole attacking force, nothing which the German High Command could not disguise to the Germans as a victory. There has only been—the decisive failure.

The R.A.F. simply holds the sky. London stands and carries on. A few of London's eight million people are casualties; more suffer terrible loss. They are front-line soldiers who have fallen in the decisive battle of the war.

All London certainly suffers discomfort and anxiety. So did Paris in September 1914, when it heard the guns thunder by night and day.

But that same suffering of Paris in 1914 meant decisive victory. So does the suffering of Londoners in 1940. By carrying on without flinching through Hitler's most furious onslaught, London beat Hitler.

Londoners see his failure. But does the world know? Above all, do the 80,000,000 Germans know? Shall three years elapse again before they realise what has happened? We must not allow this. This is the time to tell them!

Winning the German people over will one day be THE great war-winning move. Think of an average German who, Hitler or no Hitler, wants victory for Germany and fears defeat. All those Germans are haunted by memories of the last war.

They all remember how there were victories and victories—and the sum total of all those victories a huge defeat!

This spring, there was the Flanders campaign. Then the Somme was forced, Paris fell, France fell. Relief, elation, jubilation, swept the German people. It was no Battle of the Marne this time, no last, a victorious Blitzkrieg, peace by August 19. The Germans felt on top of the world.

Now is the time to tell the truth to the German people, says—

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And now? It must be dawning on many Germans that there may be another Marne after all. The Marne of this war was not the Somme. It was the English Channel, and London played the glorious part of Paris in 1914. Hitler and Goebbels try to push it out of mind with their talk.

Britain must not be silent. Just as in 1914 the decisive battle is being won. The Germans must not again be allowed to remain ignorant of it.

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Is Britain doing sufficient to enlighten the Germans? The answer is No. Britain has rather lost touch with the German people. A year ago, dull and badly designed leaflets were dropped in Germany. They had no effect. But instead of better leaflets, now no leaflets at all are being dropped. This is wrong.

There are two fallacies in the ideas in this country about German mentality: one, that the Germans are weak, and always on the verge of moral breakdown; the other, that they are machine-like robots, inaccessible to any human persuasion.

In reality, they are ordinary human beings, and like all such have their vulnerable points. And the most vulnerable of all is this fear: "The same again!"

But no pressure is at present being applied to this psychological weak-point. The whole field is left open to Hitler to tell the Germans that "this time the war is being won straight according to plan."

The Germans fear America: on the day of the destroyer-deal, they should have been shown with bombs together with pictures of those fifty grey warships, and nothing but the caption: "These came in one day."

In their hearts the Germans respect British toughness. They have their vulnerable points. They should be shown London at work under bombardment. They should be informed of every new batch of American planes arriving.

But more than anything else, their innermost fear must be touched in the memories of the last war, the Battle of the Marne.



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# Strategical Realities In The Pacific

When Admiral Richardson was manoeuvring in the Pacific this last summer, his 12 battleships constituted a main battle-line which could not be matched in gunpower. It is true that, apart from two vessels recently started, all of the American battleships date back to the period 1910-1919, but Japan's are still older, and are not so modernised. America has 15 in service to Japan's nine.

America has 37 cruisers to Japan's 26, but the American squadrons possess more heavy cruisers. Japan has only 118 destroyers, of which they themselves admit that 29 are second-class, while America has at least 187. The Americans have 102 submarines to Japan's 64. Both countries now have six aircraft carriers, having each recently completed one.

In addition to these vessels, both countries have enormous construction programmes; but, while there is a considerable element of doubt as to the extent of Japan's recent building activities, it is clear that neither country has warships of the larger categories sufficiently near completion to affect the balance of naval power in the event of a conflagration in the Pacific in the near future. The astonishing figures of the "two-ocean navy," which America plans for 1945, have little relevance to war to-day.

## Change Of Emphasis

In the last couple of years American strategists have tended to change their emphasis. Starting on the assumption that it would best suit America's purpose in the event of war if the Japanese and American fleets could be engaged in one major battle, they realised that this would be very difficult unless the Japanese themselves chose to bring their heavy battle fleet out far enough for the combat.

Falling this, the Americans now lay great stress on what is called "the elastic screen" concept of naval war. This means the radical extension made possible by the development of the Air Arm, aircraft-carriers, and long-range submarines which could use the main battle fleet as a "mother base." In other words, the Americans, having reached the eastern limit of operation from Pearl Harbour, would send out small vessels, aircraft-carriers, and submarines to harry Japan and her nearer trade routes.

Not counting strategical changes before they are hatched, such a scheme rests on the assumption that America has no base farther out than Hawaii. The position in the Philippines is difficult for many reasons, and American de-

main seat of America's defence problem is at the periphery rather than near her own coasts. The Japanese move from Formosa to the Chinese coast and Hainan, and more recently to the former French bases in Indo-China, has accelerated this readaptation of the American strategical viewpoint, for it appears as though Japan is rapidly realising her north-south strategical axis.

## Lesser Bases

In view of the immensity of Pacific expanses, both sides are now concentrating on lesser outer bases for seaplanes, submarines, and small craft of the destroyer type to indulge in "nuisance" raiding work. Finally, America has been emphasising the northern "back-door" in Alaska.

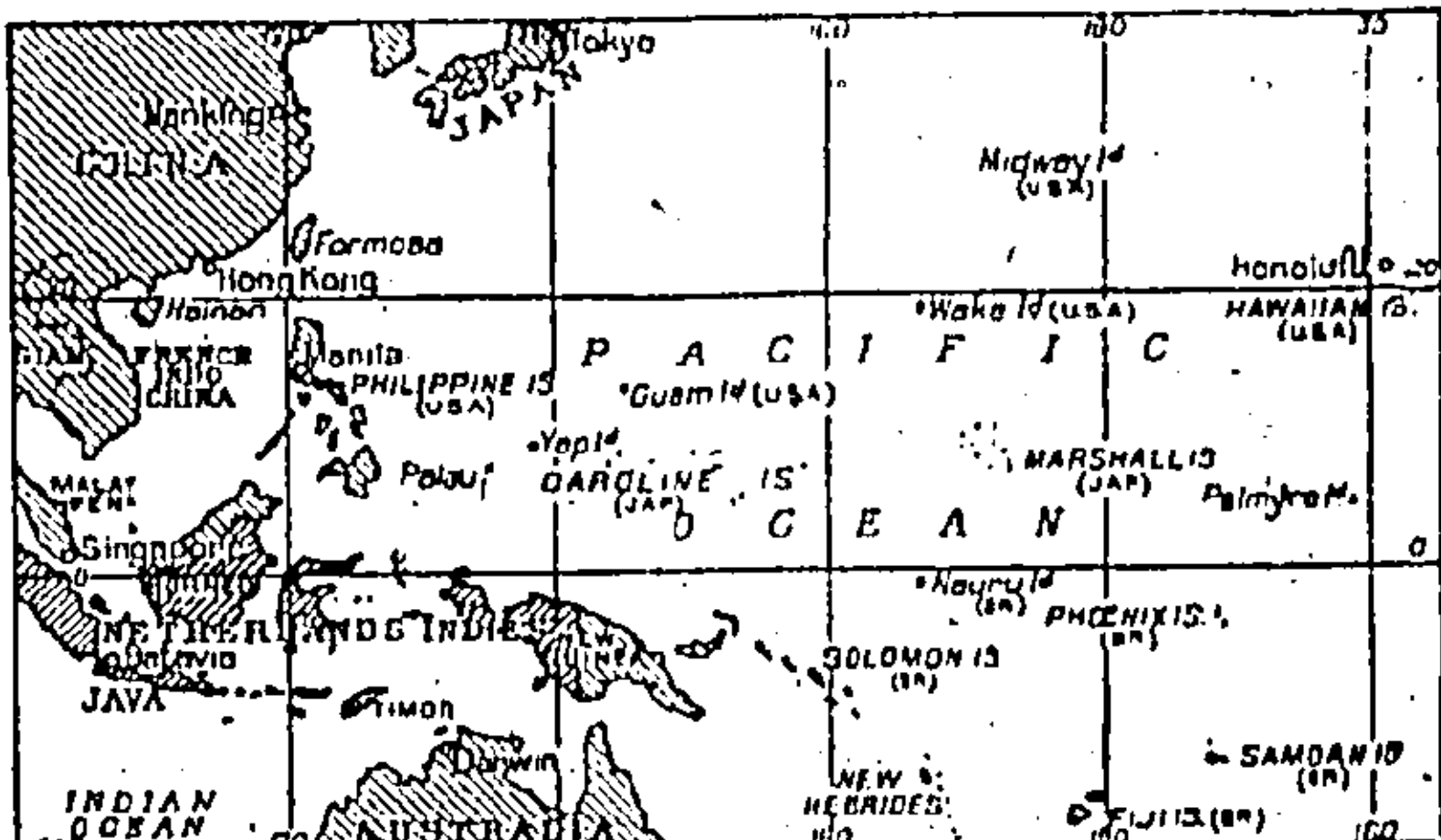
Early this year the United States Government realised that Japan had built a naval base at Paramoemari, an island just south of Kamohetka and within easy striking distance of Alaska. After all, Alaska is only 1,400 miles from Japan, and an enemy once established in these deep fjords would be hard to dislodge, and would be only 800 miles from the Canadian-United States border. So the United States hastened to construct

in spending on Alaskan defences half as much again as Great Britain has spent on the Singapore base.

## A Pacific Blockade

All told, American strategy in the event of a conflict with Japan in the near future would be to impose a joint economic and naval blockade, in the belief that growing Japanese desperation would force the Japanese to rely on a straight-out naval fight rather than an extensive campaign of small raiding over the vast waters of the Pacific. Now that Indo-China has practically fallen, the efficacy of such tactics largely depends on the continued resistance of China and on the strength of the Netherlands East Indies to make a stand against Japanese pressure. There are still many imponderable and unresolved political factors in the strategical situation, and no clear-cut American naval plans are possible until clarity has been achieved in these directions. Chungking, Singapore, and Batavia are the factors that might transmute the situation.

But whatever the difficulties may be, there is little doubt that America, if freed from Atlantic anxieties, could cope with Japan in the Pacific. Certainly, Japan can count on no naval assistance from Germany or Italy, whatever the recent Berlin Pact may say. Japan may be hard to get at, but strategically she is a prisoner trying to break her bonds.



defence plans do not rest to any large degree on the use of Philippine bases. The navy, on the other hand, has been fighting for the establishment of a strong naval and aerial base at Guam for many years, only to be impeded until recently by the political fears of Congress. At present, however, the strengthening of Guam is taking place, and this means a base only 1,600 miles from Japan and one which could almost certainly prevent the Japanese from using any facilities they may have erected in the mandated groups of the Marshalls, Carolines, and Pelews.

The ideal American strategical axis across the Pacific would be from Hawaii to Wake Island, thence to Guam, and so to Singapore; and recent events have compelled more attention to this line of defence. It exemplifies the newer tendency to regard the

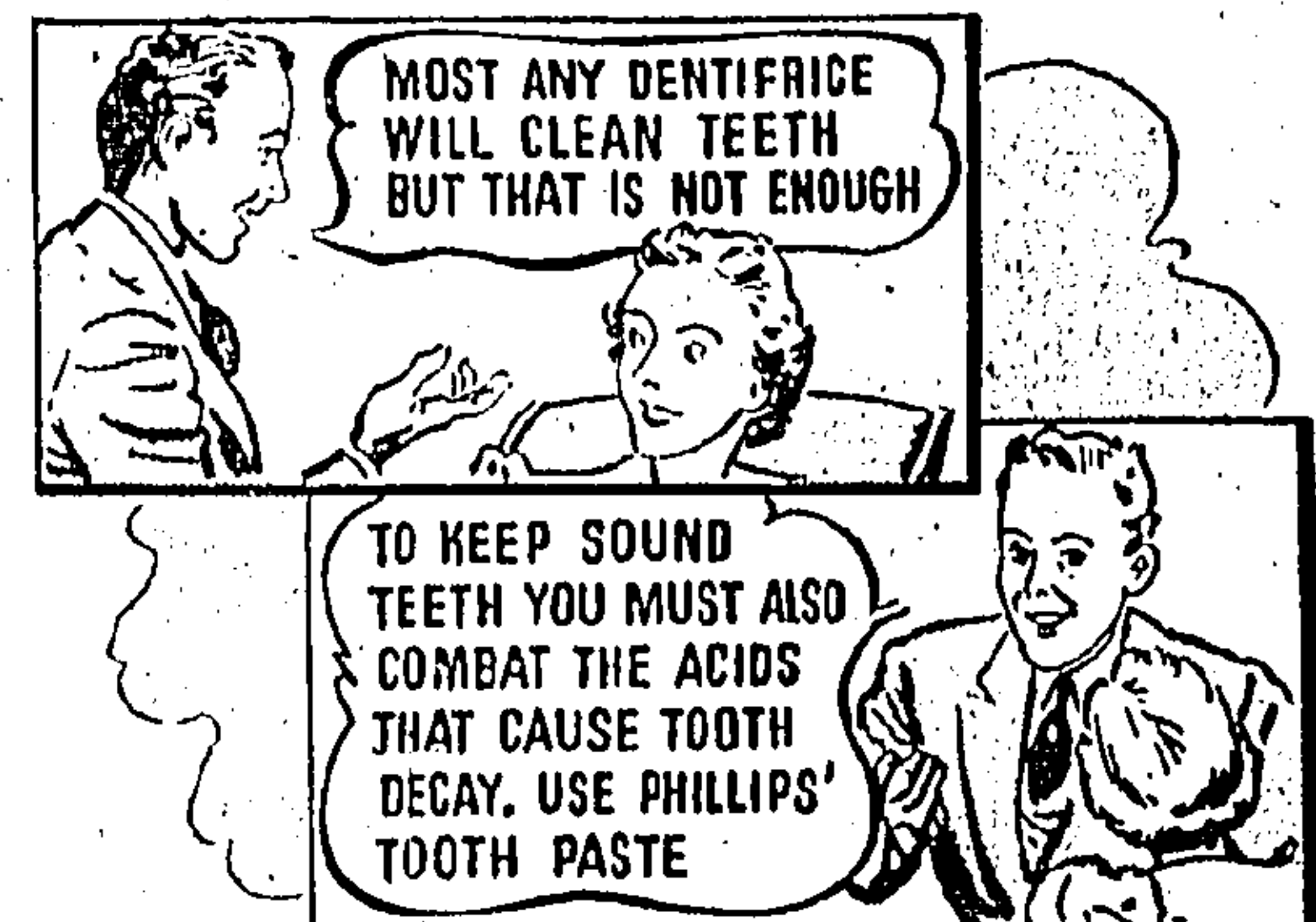
army, naval, and air bases at important points in Alaska, from Port Barrow, in the north, to Fairbanks and Nome, in the centre, and, most important of all, at Ketchikan, off the south coast and at Dutch Harbour, well out in the Aleutian archipelago.

Here, as in the other regions of the Pacific, the exploratory commercial work of Pan American Airways and its subsidiaries proved to be of great value when defence considerations arose. The key points of the scheme are the joint naval and air bases at Ketchikan and Dutch Harbour, but, to get an idea of the difficulties involved, it should be remembered that a bomber flying from Dutch Harbour to Japan would have to go twice as far as from eastern England to Trondheim, in Norway. It is easy to see, in light of these facts, why America has been emphasising the development of very long range bombers, and why she



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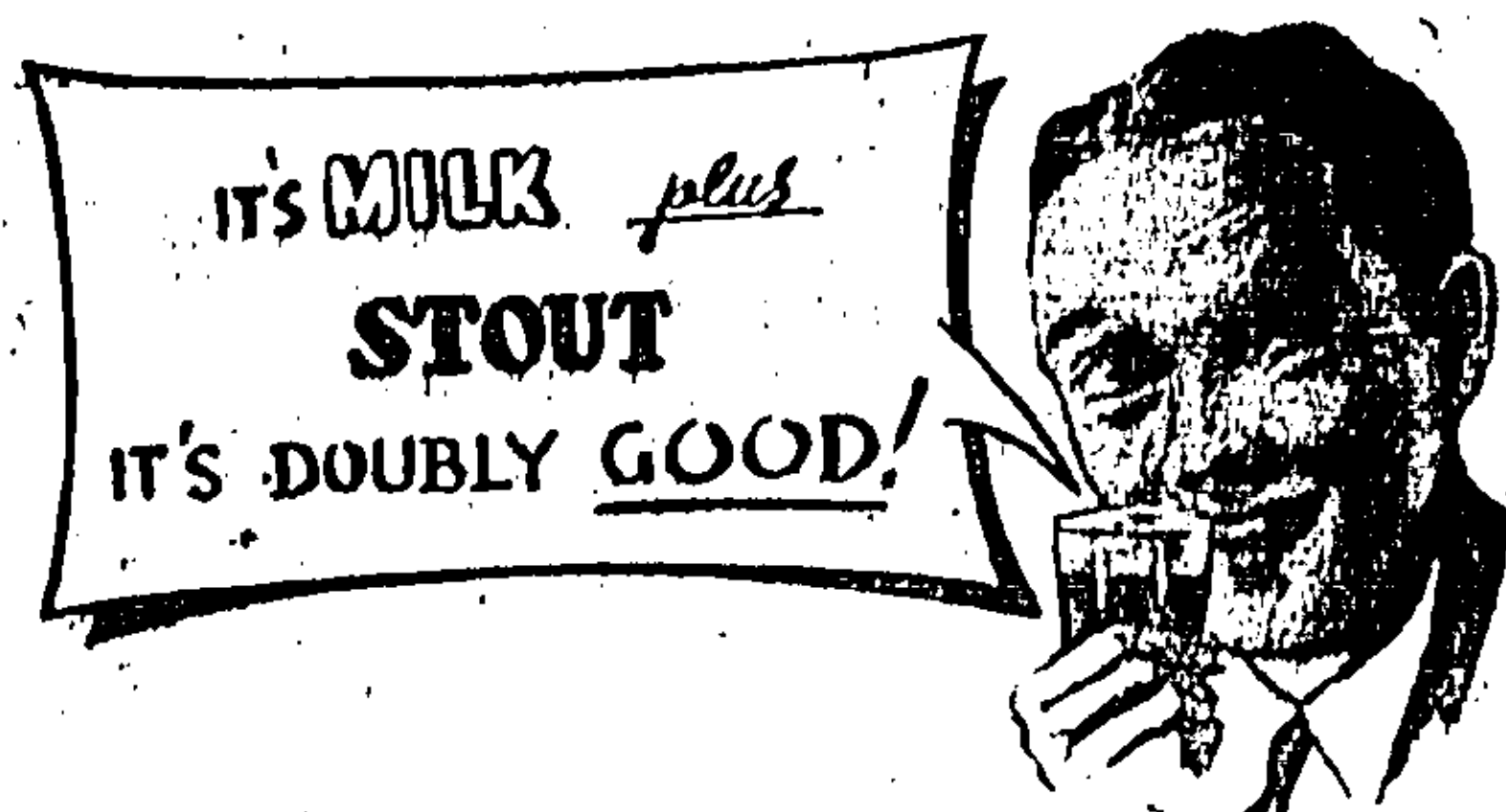
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#### THE HUSBANDS' PROTEST

A foreign observer of Friday night's meeting of Hong Kong husbands, unfamiliar with the manner of the Briton shaken out of his normal phlegmatic reserve, could be pardoned if he left with the opinion that the participants were ripe for revolution. For the better initiated in British habits of thought and action, it was a profoundly impressive meeting, reflecting unmistakably the serious mood to which the British residents of this Colony have been brought by the successive exacerbations of the evacuation muddle, and the final injustice of the those-here-stay-and-those-away-do-like-wise announcement.

But for the friction and irritation that had preceded the announcement, its effect conceivably might have been entirely different. It might have been interpreted as a straw in the wind, bearing high promise of early abandonment of the evacuation policy and of the speedy return of wives and families. If Government hoped for this reaction it overlooked the depth of bitterness caused by the many forms of discriminatory enforcement and non-enforcement of evacuation, upon which a decision paying premiums to dodgers came as the last straw.

It is, indeed, difficult to answer the sharply-voiced protest of evacuees' husbands that the standstill announcement represents a palpable injustice. It is the more bitterly felt as a result of the aggravations of the Advisory Committee sessions, the scant courtesies accorded those who dared to hope that their wives might be permitted to return.

A Committee has now been formed to consider all problems regarding the evacuees and to make direct representations to the Secretary of State for the Colonies. In the meantime, however, Government could itself do something to restore the situation to a more comfortable level. There was a noteworthy response by the meeting to Dean Wilson's appeal for magnanimity and generosity in approach to the issues at stake, and an indication by Government of willingness to go half-way or part of the way in good will would undoubtedly have an electric effect. It would, for instance, not strain the instructions of the Secretary of State for the Colonies were a more genuine sympathy shown towards applications for the return of unencumbered women evacuees with qualifications for service in the defence of the Colony. By the time that phase of reversal of policy and the direction of flow had reached its full development, the international situation may have clarified sufficiently to permit further modification or to satisfy husbands that their dependents are better off elsewhere.

The strong feeling which exhibited itself on Friday, even at the core of good-humoured banter, could easily be alleviated. But it requires a positive act by the local government, some gesture of grace, something more than vague verbalities, to bring this about.

As things are, nothing was more clearly demonstrated on Friday than the complete loss of confidence in the Government. There was no lack of realisation that war demands sacrifices, that political reasons may well dictate steps which would certainly not be taken for their own sake. The divergence begins on the issue of equitability of treatment, a principle which has undoubtedly in several instances been departed from. It would be startling, nevertheless, if out of Friday's meeting there grew, as was suggested, a live constitutional reform organisation.

## "The World's At War With Tyrants"

# The Glory That Was Greece

The invasion of Greece by the Italians naturally revives an interest in ancient Greece, and also in its more recent history.

Byron was the most distinguished of those English writers, who sympathised with the cause of Greece in the nineteenth century. The English poet exerted all his powers, exhausted all his wealth, and finally sacrificed his life, not for the Greece that was, but for the Greece he hoped she would become. It was not only the Greeks whom Byron roused by his passionate call to liberty, but Spain and Italy too. He spent no less than three years in Venice, and several months in touring the historic cities of Italy. He lived in the past, realised its splendour, and then provoked these peoples by his poems, to seize their freedom from their oppressors and so be worthy of their forefathers. He addressed the people of Venice in these words—

Thy love of Tasso should have cut the knot  
Which ties thee to thy tyrants;  
And thy lot  
Is shameful to the nations, most of all  
Albion, to thee. The Ocean's Queen should not  
Abandon Ocean's children: In the fall  
Of Venice think of thine, despite thy watery wall."

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Britain answered this call in later years when she encouraged in a very practical way those Italian liberators, Garibaldi, Cavour and Mazzini. Italy under the dictators in those days owed much to Byron for the diffusion of that liberal spirit which made the unification and the freedom of Italy possible in 1860. Now this lesson and that debt are forgotten to such an extent that Italy has not only wittingly cast away her dearly-won liberty, but she is now seeking to deprive Greece of hers. Well might Byron repeat those lines to-day which he dedicated to Italy more than a century ago—

"Italia too, Italia looking on thee  
Full flashes on the soul the light of ages."  
Italy is still united, but the tyranny now is concentrated not

in the hands of many petty despots, but in the hands of one.

It was for Greece, however, that Byron reserved his most passionate devotion.

"Cold is the heart, fair Greece, that looks on thee  
Nor feels as lovers o'er the dust they loved."

Byron had spent eight months in Greece in 1811, and had recalled the past splendours of that country in all their vividness. He deliberately provoked the Greeks to a sense of their former greatness, and demanded that they should be worthy of their past.

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In July 1823 Byron sailed from Genoa to Greece, and arrived at Cephalonia which, like Corfu, was at that time in the possession of the British. Here Byron met Colonel Charles Napier who afterwards distinguished himself as the conqueror of Scinde and India, and by him Byron was much encouraged to go on with his work of liberation. Napier had a deep affection for the Greeks. This is what he wrote of them.

"Now I am once more among the merry Greeks who are worth all other nations put together. I like to see them, to hear them; I like their fun, their Paddy ways, for they are very like Irishmen. As to cleanliness, they cannot bring yet they are cleaner than the Venetians. All their bad habits are Venetian; their wit, their eloquence, their good nature are their own. . . . I am enjoying their good company, their fine climate, their magnificent mountains, liking them and all belonging to them, and wishing all belonging to me were here. No, not here in Corfu, but in Cephalonia, which is so dear to me that every hour not employed to her good seems wasted."

Napier, a soldier of shrewd common sense loved the Greeks of his day. Byron loved them because of their ancestors and because he saw the possibility of reviving the noble soul of Greece, and of making her sons

far not delivered her main attack upon the British Empire. But Germany cannot sustain a similar claim. She has fought a campaign; and she announced the date when she intended to finish it. No one has been left in doubt that she has failed to keep even to her revised time tables. She has, that is to say, failed to accomplish what she set out to do; she has suffered a defeat. This was not due to any hastiness in attack or lack of preparation. These are not German faults. They are faults of a formidable enemy. She has an infinite capacity for sheer hard work; and no one can study the operations in France between May 13 and 21 without astonishment at this amount of sheer, dogged staff-work involved.

But, in the attack upon Britain, Germany quite clearly took her time. She realised that, having no navy comparable with that of her enemy, she must at least improve her chances of invasion by destroying the Royal Air Force, and, in effect, this meant the bringing her Luftwaffe concentration forward to within striking distance of Britain, so that, in fact, she could send her bombers accompanied by fighters over England, south of the Severn, and Humber, and the adjacent seas. She made good all losses from the western campaign; and, then, after about two months' preparation she launched her blow. The Luftwaffe, the apple of Hitler's eye, held to be 'invincible', and, since appropriate fighter escorts could be sent with the bombers, it should have achieved some success. What was the result of the first part of the campaign? In one month she had lost over 1,400 aircraft against the British. The losses in personnel were even more disproportionate. The Royal

Air Force only lost 217 and the Luftwaffe must have lost over 3,000.

This carries the campaign up to the first week in September when the attack upon London began, and with it, the continuous night attacks. It must be noticed that the opening of this night offensive was an implied admission of inferiority. Goering claimed that the Luftwaffe was invincible; but by confining himself mainly to night attacks he admitted that it could not stand up to British fighters.

The distances make it impossible for Royal Air Force fighters to accompany their bombers, or Germany itself would suffer from daylight as well as night raids. During the last three weeks of September there were only two massed raids which both suffered very badly. For the rest, the Germans have tried by increasing the proportion of fighters to bombers to cut down the losses; but to no purpose. From August 11 to the end of September the Germans lost 2,116 planes while the Royal Air Force lost only 591.

Latterly the number of German fighters has greatly increased; and over a period of some weeks they have lost themselves. If the numbers of personnel be compared, it discloses an even graver situation for Germany. In the period under review the Germans must have lost between 4,000 and 5,000 as against 200 British. This comparison, scarcely needs emphasis, it has been secured at an enormous cost in lives and equipment for Germany. Since it will not be easy for her

more worthy of such a wonderful inheritance.

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Greece was under the domination of the Turks whose rule was not particularly oppressive seeing that it permitted the Greeks to enjoy their own form of worship, to have their own local government and even have a sort of gendarmerie. Between 1811 and 1823 Byron's reputation on the continent of Europe as a political leader of thought was far greater than it was at home where his message had not the same effect, because it did not encounter the same opposition to liberty as in Venice or in Greece. There is a simplicity and a directness about his poetry at this time, and this was necessary if it was to reach the hearts of European people. They knew what he meant when he said.

"The mountains look on Marathon, and Marathon looks on the sea;

And musing there an hour ago, I dreamed that Greece might still be free

For standing on a Persian's grave, I could not deem myself a slave."

Greece had to be roused, not through religion, but through national agitation, that is, through something that was distinctive to Greece. Byron, however, was not destined to live to see the liberation of Greece, for at Missolonghi, where he had established his headquarters, he caught a fever and died on April 19th, 1824 at the age of thirty-six.

To-day Britain is trying to safeguard the legacy which Byron left. He spent all his wealth, but it was destined to bring in a great profit—nothing less than Greek freedom. In 1831 and it is that which is being so stoutly defended to-day in Hellas, every inch of which is hallowed ground.

With Byron we respond to the call of Greece

The dead have been awakened—shall I sleep

The world's at war with tyrants—shall I crouch.

The harvest's ripe and shall I pause to reap

I slumber not. The thorn is in my couch

Each day a trumpet soundeth to my ear

Its echo in my heart.

By "Strategicus"

## A Successful Phase Ends

In the course of a war it is possible only occasionally to see how things are going. Advances and retreats are not themselves decisive and depend for their interpretation upon the sequel; it may be a distant sequel. Changes of plan can at time be noted; but once more, these do not explain themselves. A rhythm and a crescendo may be appreciated; but the climax may be aborted and then we are entitled to conclude that the attacked admits an inferiority which he did not originally feel.

Some such position as this appears to be the characteristic of the present moment. It is four months since the evacuation from Dunkirk was completed; and, whatever the magnitude of that immortal episode, it was the outcome of a defeat. At that moment the Prime Minister used grave words about the position, and they were only too well justified. But that was four months ago. In less than three weeks Germany broke the organized resistance of Poland. In about the same space of time she compelled the Belgian army to surrender. In just over five weeks France was asking for terms. Yet now, four months after Dunkirk, Germany and Italy have made a decision against the British Empire, and, in effect, this meant the bringing her Luftwaffe concentration forward to within striking distance of Britain, so that, in fact, she could send her bombers accompanied by fighters over England, south of the Severn, and Humber, and the adjacent seas. She made good all losses from the western campaign; and, then, after about two months' preparation she launched her blow. The Luftwaffe, the apple of Hitler's eye, held to be 'invincible', and, since appropriate fighter escorts could be sent with the bombers, it should have achieved some success. What was the result of the first part of the campaign? In one month she had lost over 1,400 aircraft against the British. The losses in personnel were even more disproportionate. The Royal

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## THIS WEEK

When, on Tuesday, the United States re-elected President Roosevelt for a third term, Hitler suffered his third and worst defeat in eight months. The first was at Dunkirk when the B.E.F. was evacuated to form the war-hardened core of the great garrison now manning Britain's defences. The second was the smashing by the exuberant youth of the R.A.F. of the full weight of the Luftwaffe in daylight raids on Britain. The third was, as demonstrated by America, as the polls, his total failure to induce a state of hypnotic paralysis in the United States.

### A Famous Victory

President Roosevelt's victory was established as a virtual certainty within a few hours of the closure of the ballot. The trend of the "China" has been counted and, throughout, as the returns flowed in, he maintained a rough average of 50 per cent. of the total vote. Only ten States, controlling 43 electoral votes, plumped for Wendell Willkie. The other 30, with 449 electoral votes, scattered the cumulus of doubt and uncertainty which must inevitably have accompanied a different verdict.

### Banking On The Certainty

Mr. Willkie might well have made a better President. His contribution to support of Britain's fight against tyranny and dogmatism in Europe might, eventually, have been more generous and vigorous than the steps within the contemplation of President Roosevelt. But those suppositions were beyond reasonable calculation. The policies of President Roosevelt were well established. His course of action could be predicted and given a heartening emphasis. The American people, banked on the certainty, and thereby gave a sign to the whole world, including Japan and the Axis, of the American will to terrorism of the tyrannies can withstand.

### An Inspiring Verdict

If Hitler knows how to read it, the election is also a sign of the rally of American faith behind democracy, inspiring Britain like "an army with banners." President Roosevelt is encouraged to go on with the programme of aid to Britain, to intensify the effort to the limit consistent with America's own preparations, and to maintain a firm Far East policy. Only America's recognition that no risk whatever could be taken of any falling by the United States to play her full part in preserving the ideals of human freedom and humane civilisation could have enabled President Roosevelt to challenge the no third-term tradition with such outstanding success. The nation's verdict was a tonic to the President, to Britain and to China, and at the same time the most

disturbing news the Axis has received since the outset of the war.

### Japan Draws In Her Horns

Germany and Italy have been engaged in an ostentatious display of their complete unconcern, but in Japan, upon whom the consequences may be more immediate, no pretences have been offered. What course will be pursued by Japanese leaders cannot be foreshadowed with any degree of confidence. The newspapers have rampaged. In official action, there is both caution and precaution. The withdrawal of troops from Manchung and Southern Kwangtung, indications that Japan is drawing in her horns at other points, are capable of more than one interpretation, though the motive remains the same, speediest possible liquidation of the "China Incident." If Japan must needs turn to face a problem, she must first extricate herself from the China morass.

### Italian Setback In Greece

In the sphere of hostilities, too, developments encourage a degree of optimism. The Italian plan of invasion broke down into little pieces against the stubborn resistance of the Greek frontier forces. The three-pronged Blitzkrieg attack which was to have carried the Italian armies through to Salonika, into central Greece and down the west coast was a dismal failure. Two prongs were snapped off at the roots by the Greek advance into Albania, menacing the strategic border town, Koritza. The third appears to be making slow progress and is faced with stiff obstacles. Importance of the Greek stand can, however, be exaggerated. Each day that passes, however, makes the task of conquest progressively harder, and prouder. The successful capture of Crete and the successful British air raid on the naval base at Brindisi are in themselves sufficient to provide Mussolini and Hitler with plenty of food for thought.

### Soviet Silence

The Soviet continues to ride high on the fence, and has but not an eyelid at the presence of large German forces menacing the Ukraine, Yugoslavia and Bulgaria, according to Hitler's whim. Yugoslavia and Bulgaria are both Slav States and the Kremlin is a tempting piece of Russia itself. The Kremlin's silence gains significance according to whether the observer's interpretation of it is low cunning or plain fawning of the issue.

### Petain Still In The Saddle

The internal conflict at Vichy approaches closer to a straight fight between Marshal Petain and M. Laval. Evidence accumulates that M. Laval is prepared to hand over the balance of the French Fleet to Germany for a paper promise by Hitler, and that for Marshal Petain the word "honour" has not been expunged from the French language. That Petain has not been ousted as an obstructionist is the keypoint of interest. The obvious inference is that neither Hitler nor M. Laval are so sure of themselves that they could risk the consequences.

### Not To Be Cowed

France, at the same time, gives the Fuehrer less anxious moments than Holland or Czechoslovakia. The grim spirit of independence in the Netherlands is manifested so massively that it is impossible to make an example. Prague's observance of the Czech National Day made mockery of the Gestapo organisation. The Czechs went home after work, leaving Prague empty, with a deadly silence more impressive and effective than any patriotic disturbance.

### Do Valera The Stubborn

Combined air and submarine attacks on British shipping in the Atlantic, off the west coast of Ireland, have reached serious proportions, so that Mr. Churchill, in his monthly review on Tuesday made pointed reference to the handicap unnecessarily imposed by Elze's "neutrality." Mr. de Valera replied with a stubborn refusal to assist, ignoring the foundations of Elze's neutrality. The sharp attack by Lord Craigavon was not surprising, though not actually calculated to assist Mr. de Valera to change his mind. From Elze's southern and western coast, the Nazi bombers could be dealt with as readily as they are in the Channel, where twenty planes, attacking ships, were shot down on Friday. It might be useful if Mr. de Valera had a reminder of by how slender a thread his "neutrality" is sustained.



# Germany's Programme For The So-Called "New Order In Europe"

## Strange Ring Of Truth From Bremen

THE GERMAN PROPAGANDA MACHINE SEEMS IN TWO MINDS AS TO THE METHODS TO BE FOLLOWED IN INFORMING THE WORLD OF GERMANY'S SCHEME FOR WHAT HAS BEEN GRANDILOQUENTLY TERMED THE "NEW ORDER IN EUROPE."

### EX-BANK CLERK BAGS THREE

A Manchester bank clerk who joined the R.A.F. Volunteer Reserve and has won both his commission and the D.F.C. since the war began, shot down three German raiders into the Thames Estuary yesterday.

An Air Ministry news bulletin describes how 15 Junkers 87 dive bombers were seen by a Hurricane squadron flying for France only 100 feet above the water. Above were formations of protecting Messerschmitts 109s.

The Hurricane pilots, splitting up, destroyed one Junkers and four Messerschmitts.

It was the former bank clerk who won the D.F.C. last month — who shot down the Junkers and two Messerschmitts. — British Wireless.

Speaking to a mass meeting at Prague, Dr. Goebbels said that in this war Germany and Italy were joint representatives of the principle of a new world order and claimed that the Axis could now begin reshaping the face of Europe.

The Bremen wireless, in English for England on the other hand, remarked that the whole idea of the German new order in Europe was invented by the British and added — possibly with an unaccustomed ring of truth — "The German people have not started the war for the benefit of Europe. They have no intention of sacrificing themselves on the altar of theoretical reconstruction of their continent."

No mention is made of sacrificing German-occupied countries for the benefit of Germany, which seems to be the underlying motive of any new European order as is shown by an article in a special "Norway Issue" of the Wirtschafts-Presse.

It is declared that only such industries will be permitted for which Norway has natural qualifications.

Norwegian water power, once fully developed, will supply German electro-thermic and other industries. Norway will be added to the Continental price level. Wages will be reduced and Norway will no longer be allowed a higher standard of living than

Continental countries. Ore mining will be extended and Norway may be allowed to sell wood and pulp overseas.

#### "Suitable Agreements"

As regards fisheries Germany's experience in preparing methods will increase sales. World trade will be directed by Germany who will make "suitable" agreements with Norway for the use of Norway's merchant fleet.

Poland's lowly position in the new German European order is further defined by a speech by Jaeger, German administrative chief of Posen, in which he says the task will be tackled in the very near future of finding a method satisfying German national demands and giving the Poles an interior position, but simultaneously providing the Poles with "certain primitive guarantees" against becoming the object of private exploitation.

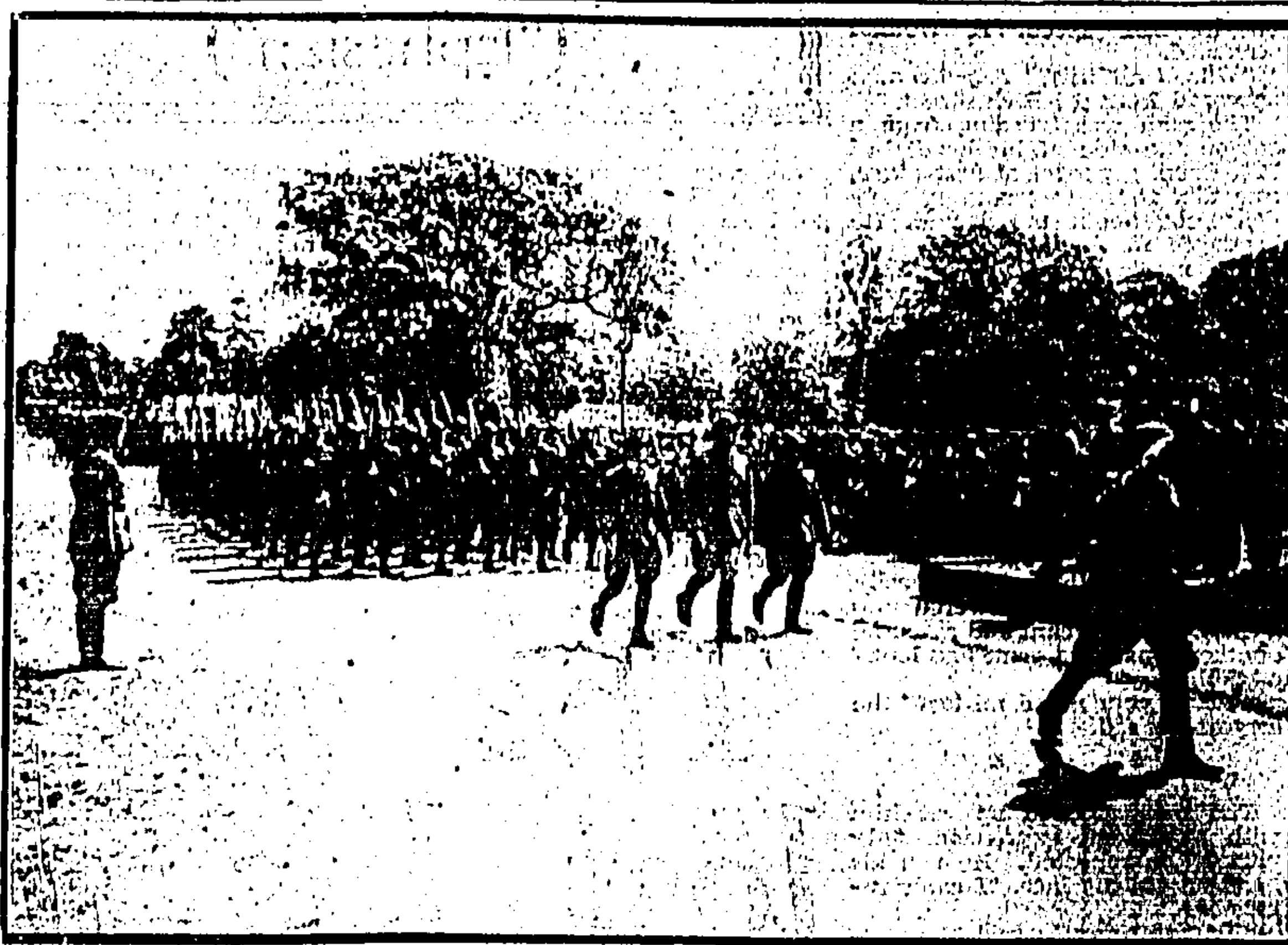
#### Magnanimous!

It is wondered in Britain whether the Poles will be duly grateful to the kind-hearted German leaders for such magnanimous consideration. Certainly the German people do not appear to be sacrificing themselves in this particular direction.

In the Netherlands, on the other hand, the new order has only, it appears, proceeded as far as the German order regulating marching in uniform in that country.

Germany say it is impossible to show consideration for Dutch citizens who show indignation during the march of invaders in uniform through the streets, and the German newspaper writes: "Even here battle songs must resound and force their way through windows in every street into every house."

Repeating the face of the Netherlands, apart from that of Europe, seems likely to be a difficult task. — British Wireless.



Dr. Benes recently inspected Czechoslovakian troops in the West of England. Photo shows troops in the march past.

### JAPAN'S EXPANSION PLANS

The Chinese Government is studying ways and means of assisting overseas Chinese who are in the path of Japan's southward expansion plans, it was stated in Chungking yesterday.

Both General Wu Teh-chien, Kuomintang Overseas Minister who is visiting the South Seas, and Mr. Tai Chi-tao, President of the Examination Yuan, who is visiting Burma and India, will report on the condition of overseas Chinese in tropical Asia, thus enabling the Chinese Government to adopt a more effective policy to protect Chinese nationals and interests there.

Meanwhile, the Government has sent invitations to Chinese abroad to invest funds in the interior of China.

A number of overseas leaders have been touring the country investigating investment possibilities, and many companies have been formed.

It is expected that the Japanese threat will "drive" overseas Chinese capital to Free China. — Reuter.

### AMBULANCES FOR NEW ZEALANDERS

Two motor ambulances have been presented in London to the New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

One was contributed by the people of Paisley and the other by members of the Brewers' Society. — Reuter.

### EDINBURGH ACHIEVES ITS RECORD

At the close of the fifth day of War Weapons Week Edinburgh had raised £7,400,000, equivalent to £18/7/8 per head of population. This far exceeds the best English city, Liverpool, which averaged £14/4/3 per head. — British Wireless.

### AMERICAN WAR FUND

A NEW YORK MESSAGE SAYS THAT THE "ALLIED RELIEF FUND" AND THE "BRITISH WAR RELIEF SOCIETY" HAVE BEEN AMALGAMATED INTO ONE ORGANISATION WHICH WILL BEAR THE NAME OF THE BRITISH WAR RELIEF SOCIETY.

These two American organisations have already raised £1,000,000 in money and goods for the relief of Britain, and it is hoped that together they will be able to raise £3,500,000 for medical supplies and civilian help for Britain by the end of the winter. — Reuter.

### BURMA'S SPITFIRE DONATIONS

WITH A FURTHER REMITTANCE OF £10,000 THE CONTRIBUTION OF THE PEOPLE OF BURMA TOWARDS THE PURCHASE OF AIRCRAFT HAS REACHED A TOTAL OF £150,000.

A further sum of £5,000 received for the same cause from Sierra Leone brings the Crown Colony's contribution to over £255,000.

Lord Lloyd has expressed pleasure at the progress made in Uganda towards the provision of a second Uganda fighter plane. The Burmese native administration's contribution of £5,000 to the Imperial Exchequer is to be used for the purchase of another fighter plane. — British Wireless.

## Washington Forecasts War Credits For Britain

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

AS ONE OF the first results of the reelection of President Roosevelt, State Department and Treasury economists in Washington yesterday forecast the renewal of the Great War credit system, which they said would follow the anticipated exhaustion of the estimated \$4,000,000,000 British war chest in American banks by next summer.

Meanwhile President Roosevelt's statement that his third-term policy meant a 50-50 split between Britain and the United States of all guns, munitions and war supplies American industry can produce, includes the famous Boeing "Flying Fortresses" and other military planes.

In quick support of the pledge, the Defence Council's Priorities Board announces aircraft production schedules assuring Britain of the delivery of 12,000 additional warplanes it is seeking on a "share-alike" basis with the United States. Previously Britain had been getting about 45 per cent.

Coincidentally, Senator King (Utah) has renewed the demand for Senate action on his proposed amendments to the Neutrality and Johnson Acts permitting British war purchases on credit when her cash resources in the United States are "gone." — International News Service.

### HOLLAND'S PART IN THE WAR

The part the Netherlands are playing in the war effort was described by Dr. van Kleffens, Foreign Minister for the Netherlands, speaking at Edinburgh yesterday.

"We are fighting for three things," he said. "First, we want to purge the spirit of aggression, second we want to see the pledged word respected in international affairs, third we do not recognise the superiority of the German race — far from it — and we do not want to be dominated by it."

Dr. van Kleffens added: "We have placed at the disposal of the Allied cause our mercantile marine totalling over 3,000,000 tons. The Allies can draw on the economic resources of the Netherlands Indies, which produce thirty per cent. of the world's rubber, a large quantity of oil products, seventeen per cent. of the world's tea, and 25 per cent. of the world's vegetable oil." — British Wireless.



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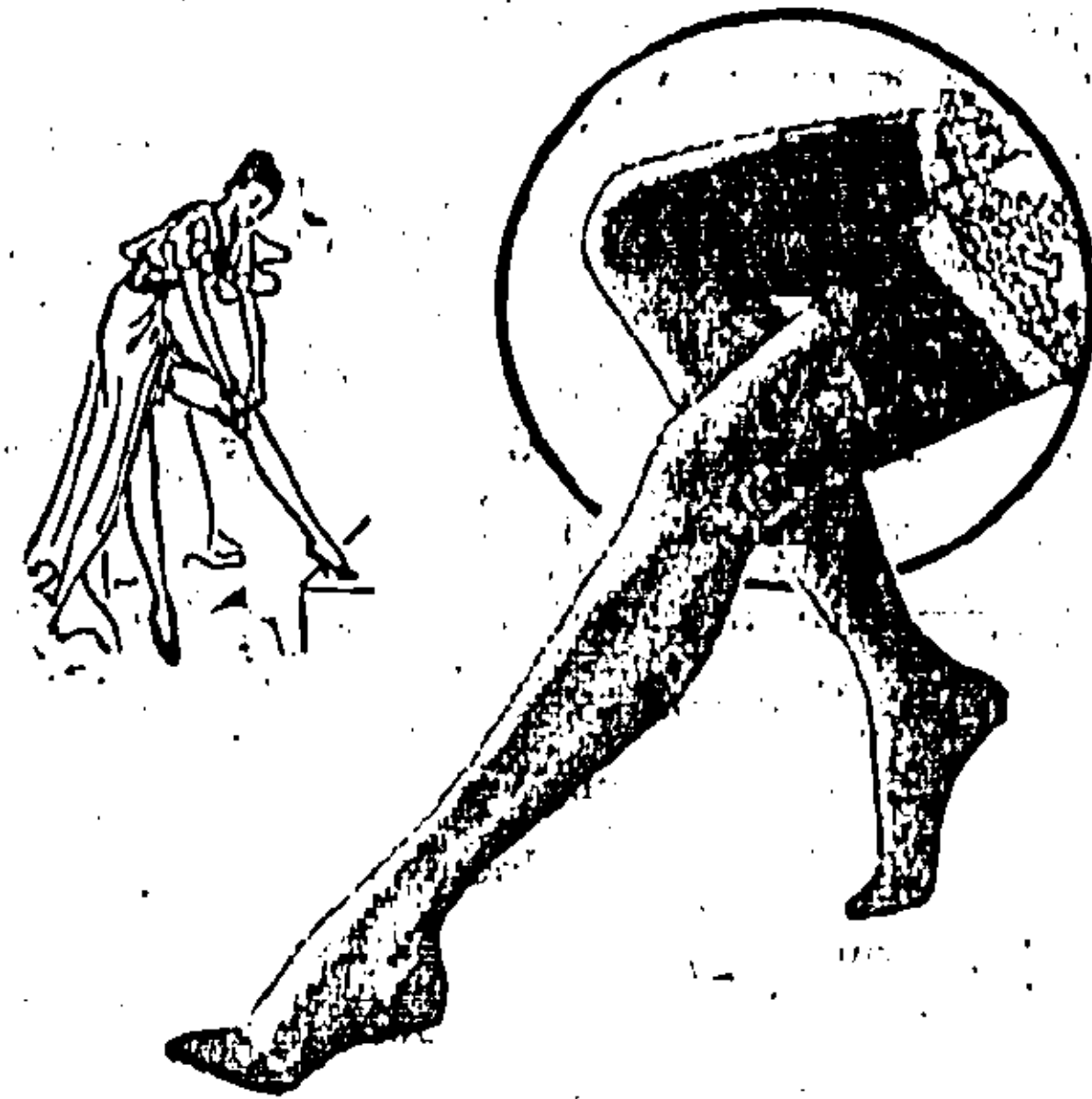
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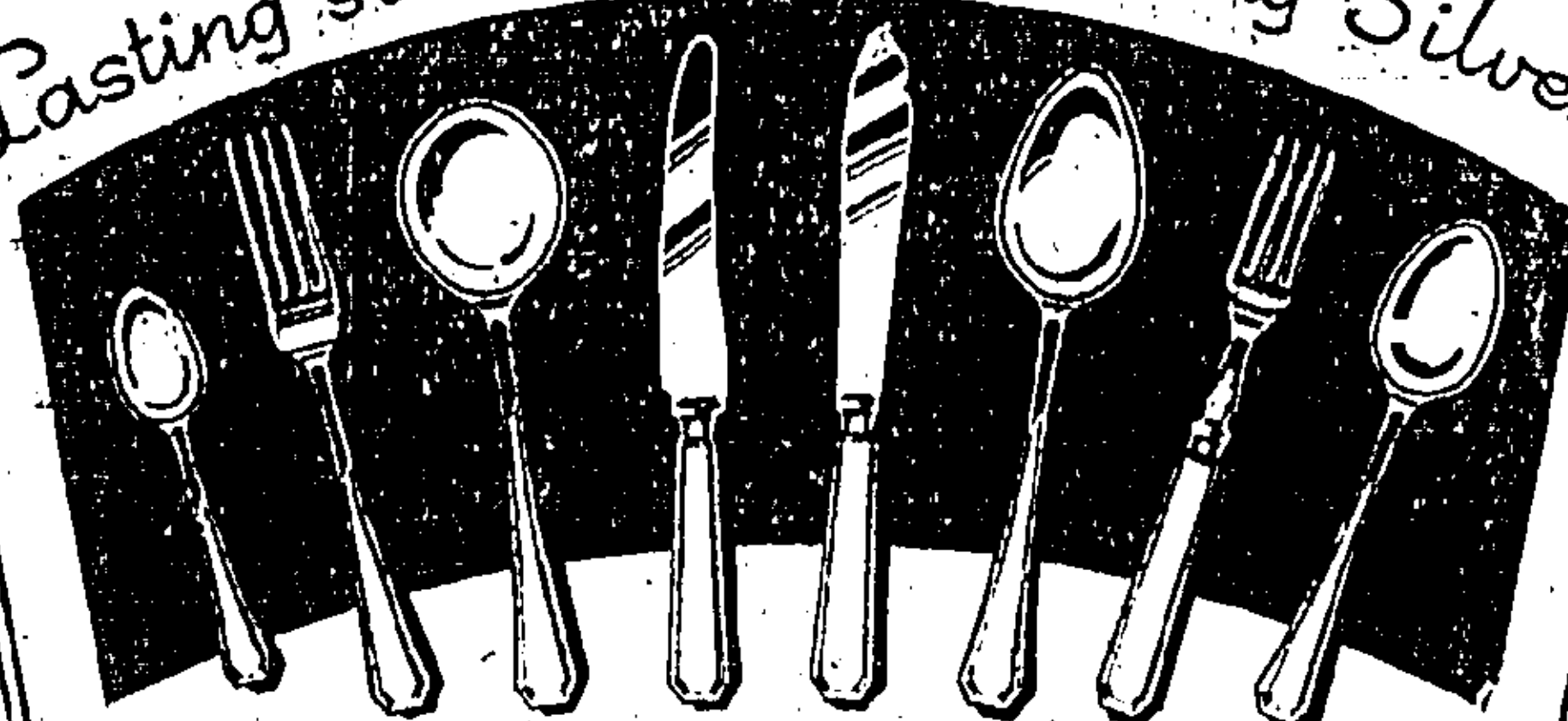
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## SHORT

### An "A.B.C. Hawkes" Mystery Thriller By BECHHOFFER ROBERTS ("Ephesian")

## STORY

CROUCHING down, the man stepped hurriedly off the pavement in the narrow, ill-lit street. A van hurried round the corner, its lamps dimmed, saw him too late, swerved, flung him back violently on the pavement, and, after a moment's hesitation, drove off at full speed. A woman screamed.

"What's all this?" A policeman appeared from the High Street.

The man was bleeding from a cut on the side of his head, but P.C. Repp, a proficient first-aid, saw that there was nothing very dangerous about the wound. He bandaged it.

The man's eyes were opening, but his face was puckered with pain.

"Where am I?" he said. "You're all right," said P.C. Repp. "Just had a bit of a knock-down, that's all. See if you can stand up."

He helped the man to his feet. "That's the style," said the policeman. "Now we'll just walk round to the police station and we'll fix you up proper."

They got to the station easily enough, and he was lowered into a chair. The sergeant and a couple of other constables came and looked at him.

"What's your name, mister?" the sergeant asked.

The man looked up at him with a puzzled expression. "My name?" he repeated. He ran his hand across his face. "I can't remember."

"That's funny," said the sergeant. "Can't remember your own name?"

"No," the man groaned. "I can't remember who I am."

"It's that bang on the head," the sergeant explained to his subordinates. "Never mind, mister," he said to the man, "you'll soon get it back. Maybe you've got something in your pocket, a letter or something, which'll remind you."

Much bewildered, the man turned out his pockets. There were the return half of a ticket from London, a bus-ticket from the local station, a pair of stained gloves, a door-key, and, what made the man and the policeman stare with surprise, about £80 in

pound notes. But nothing to identify him. There was neither name nor laundry mark on his clothes.

"It's sort of queer, isn't it?" the man said. "I've simply lost my memory. Can't even remember my own name. What's the name of this place?"

The sergeant told him. The man repeated the name. "It sort of suggests something to me," he said. "Something to do with a man, I think. I must have come here to see somebody."

"Very likely," the sergeant agreed. "Are you married?"

"Me? Married? I don't know."

"Tough luck!" the sergeant commented. "Well, what are we going to do about you?"

"What are you going to do about who?" a voice at the door asked him ungrammatically.

A short, tubby man in evening dress was standing there, with a top-hat perched rather on one side of a mop of red hair.

"Oh, it's you, Mr. Hawkes," the sergeant said. "Well, perhaps you can help us with this poor fellow. He's lost his memory."

"Has he? How did it happen?" A.B.C. Hawkes went over the man, gave him a professional

scrutiny—for, among other things, he was a Doctor of Medicine—and listened to the sergeant's and P.C. Repp's account of the accident and its sequel.

"So, you see, Mr. Hawkes, we're stumped," the sergeant concluded.

"It looks like it, doesn't it?" said A.B.C. "I just looked in for a cup of cocoa and a chin-wag before going home, but it looks as if I'll have to try a little experiment."

The others looked at him expectantly. "What sort of an experiment?" the man asked.

"Well, my friend, we don't know who you are, and you don't either. But we know that you came here from London to-day—I'm sure you can trace the time—that ticket was issued, sergeant, if you go on to the terminus—and that you meant to go back there. And you say you think you came here to see somebody. And you were crossing that street at—when was it, sergeant?"

"About five to eleven, sir," P.C. Repp put in.

"Right," said A.B.C. "Now suppose we take you back there and you have a good look round. Possibly you'll recognise something. What do you think, sergeant?"

"It sounds worth trying," Mr. Hawkes. You better go with them, Repp, said the sergeant.

They left the police station together. The man was feeling better now, though his memory was still a blank. P.C. Repp led him and A.B.C. to the place where a dark stain on the pavement recalled the accident.

"Now then," said Hawkes. "You were crossing the road here, it seems, from this pavement. You were in a bit of a hurry. Where would you be going, I wonder?"

"That's easy, sir," Repp suggested. "He'd be making for the High Street to get a bus to take him back to the station."

"Yes, that's reasonable," A.B.C. was watching the man closely and waiting for any flicker of returning memory. None had come so far. "So we can assume that you were coming from the other direction. Let's stroll up there."

They walked along the pavement. None of the spots at which they hesitated seemed to mean anything to the man.

Half a mile on the street lights ended. Soon the pavement, too, ceased.

"Ah!" cried A.B.C. a few minutes later. "he'd remembered something."

The man was looking round him

in a dazed fashion, balancing un-  
easily on his feet.

"I sort of feel—Is there a path  
anywhere here?" the man muttered.

They looked round. "Here it  
is," Repp cried. "Look, there's a  
title."

The man climbed the stile. "This  
seems right," he said. "A stile  
Yes, I seem to remember a stile.  
And that man. I know there was  
a man."

"You're doing fine, mate," said  
the policeman sympathetically. He  
switched on his torch. "Come on:  
let's go down this path."

The man went first, trying to  
follow an instinctive lead. The  
policeman, towering above the  
diminutive figure of A.B.C., walked  
slowly behind him.

"Ah, one moment," A.B.C. said.  
"Look, here's a shoe mark by this  
puddle. Hey, mystery man, just  
step over here, will you, and let's

compare it with your shoe. The  
right shoe, please."

"It's mine all right," said the  
man, after he had made the ex-  
periment. "Thank goodness we're  
on the way all right."

There was a cottage some dis-  
tance off to the right, faintly out-  
lined against the skyline in the  
light of the half-moon. The man  
stared at it fixedly, his face work-  
ing as he strained his brain to  
bring back his memory.

"I think I've seen that cottage  
before," he said at last. "A man  
coming towards me—that cottage."

"Looks like we're getting some-  
where at last, sir," said P.C. Repp.  
"Shall we try the cottage, sir?"

"Who is the occupant?"

"He's a gentleman called Smith-  
son, sir. Rummy sort of gentleman,  
if you'll excuse my saying so—a  
miser." A.B.C. beckoned to the  
man who had lost his memory. "Do  
you know anybody named Smith-  
son?" he asked.

It might have been imagination,  
but a gleam seemed to pass  
through the man's eyes. Con-  
sciously, however, the name meant  
nothing to him.

"I can't remember," he groaned.  
"Who is he?"

"The policeman says he lives in  
the cottage," Hawkes explained.

The man shook his head. "Shall  
we go and see if he knows me?"  
he said. "I'd give anything to  
know who I am and what I'm do-  
ing here."

"Lead on, constable," A.B.C.  
cried, and the three of them picked  
their way along a winding,  
stony path to the cottage on the  
skyline.

"I believe I've been here," the  
man murmured, a new hope in his  
voice. "Is it a door with a latch?"

"We'll soon see," Hawkes told  
him, and asked the policeman to  
shine his torch on the door. There  
was a latch!

The man's face lit up with a  
smile. "Thank goodness!" he ex-  
claimed.

The policeman rang a bell. They  
waited, but nothing happened. He  
rang again and, after a while,  
hammered on the door with his  
fist.

"Doesn't seem to be any answer,  
sir," the policeman announced un-  
necessarily. He tried the latch, and  
the door opened. "Well, he must  
be at home. Shall we go in, do  
you think, Mr. Hawkes?"

"I think we'd better," A.B.C.  
replied.

"Please let's go in," said the  
man. The policeman flashed his  
lamp on the narrow passage in-  
side. The man laughed almost hy-  
sterically. "Yes, yes," he cried.  
"I'm sure this is where I was this



"Here's a shoe mark. Step over here, will you, and let's compare it with your shoe."

evening. There's a door on the  
right. Look; there it is! On the  
right!"

A.B.C. turned the handle of the  
door and shuffled cautiously into  
the room. There was only the  
faint moonlight filtering through  
the blinds.

"What a fool I am!" exclaimed  
the policeman suddenly. "Of  
course, Mr. Smithson's got his own  
lighting plant. Let me find the  
switch on the scene." He fumbled for  
the switch. "Must be over there,  
by that other door," he said, and  
moved across the room.

The man was talking excitedly  
to himself. "Door on the right,"  
he said, "and a man inside the  
room, coming towards me to say,

"Hello, Jim! Jim! yes, that's my  
name—Jim! It's all coming back  
to me now."

The light went on, and A.B.C.  
uttered a cry of surprise. In a far  
corner of the room a man lay  
against the wall, sprawled in a  
heap. There was blood on the  
floor, on the wall-paper, all over  
his face. The door of a small wall-  
safe was open behind him.

The mystery man waved and  
his face grew haggard. Then he  
turned and started back to the  
passage.

A.B.C. stood in the way. "One  
moment," he said. "I see you've  
got your memory back now."

P.C. Repp pulled a pair of hand-  
cuffs from his pocket, and com-  
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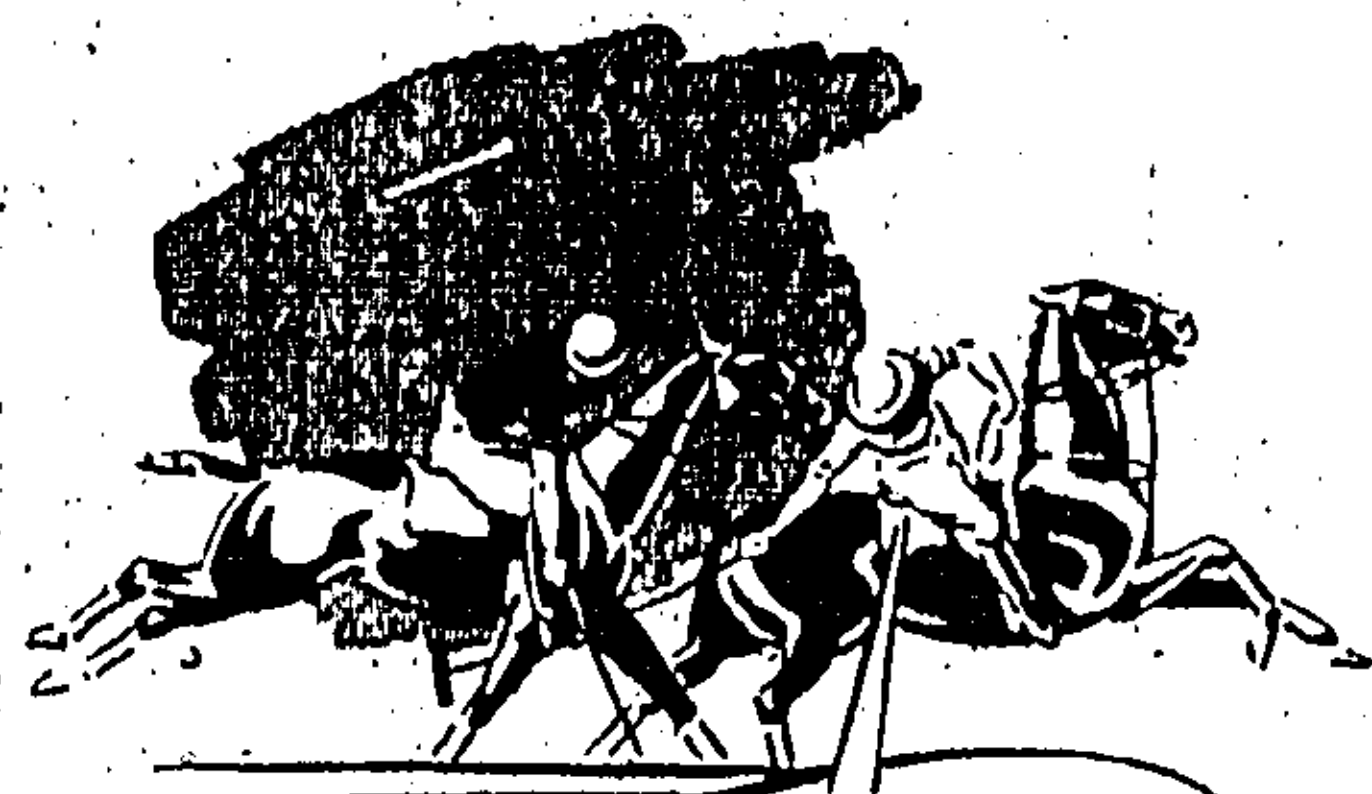
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The Royalist writer, Charles Maurras, who the previous day compared President Roosevelt's powers to a monarchy, writes: "Having secured the full backing of Congress President Roosevelt will have absolute freedom to act."

### HISPANIC COUNCIL PROJECT

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

Creation of a "Hispanic Council," aiming at the development of Spain's cultural and spiritual relations with Spanish America, was announced in Madrid yesterday.—Havas.

### C.I.C. FOR THE DISABLED

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")

An Industrial Cooperative for disabled soldiers will be established shortly in Kweichow under the joint auspices of the Chinese Industrial Cooperatives, and the Chinese Red Cross and the Friends of the Wounded Society. The latter have granted a sum of \$120,000 which will be used to start the project. The Cooperative will be the first in Kweichow province.—Havas.

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### "Getting Older"

"After twenty years of restrictions on immigration and a decreasing birth rate, the average age of the population is getting older while the capacity for work and industrial production shows signs of decrease."

"The American home market could not stand competition from Japan and China, even Canada, for some products."

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### M. PIERLOT SEES THE KING

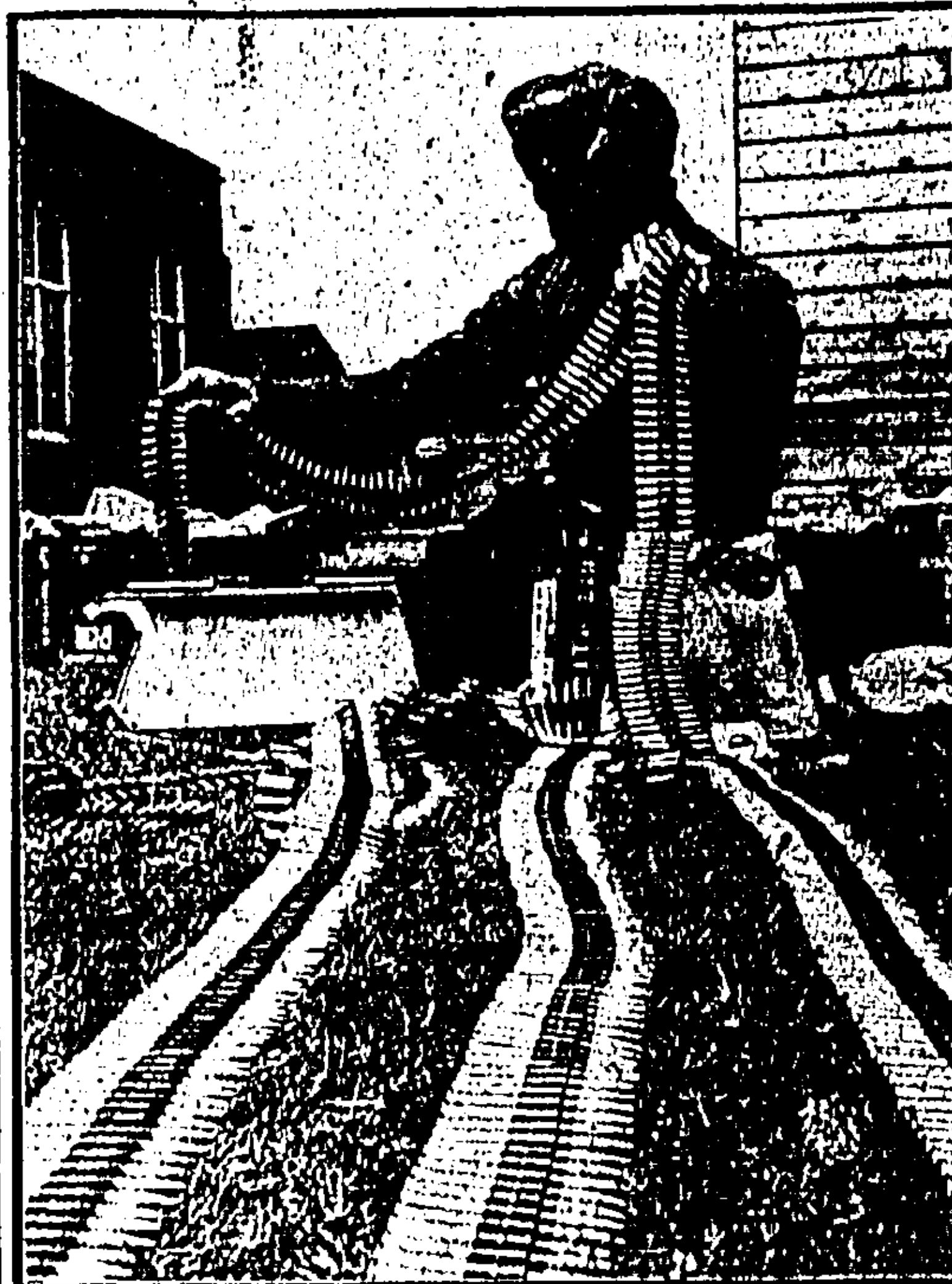
M. Pierlot, Belgian Prime Minister, was received in audience by the King at Buckingham Palace yesterday, says a British Wireless message from London.

### NEW KWANGTUNG BANK OPENED.

The new Kwangtung Provincial Bank was inaugurated in Canton yesterday with elaborate ceremony. The Bank is capitalised at \$10,000,000 Chinese National currency.—Reuter.

### CHEN KUNG-PO TO LOOK THINGS OVER

(SPECIAL TO "SUNDAY HERALD")  
Chen Kung-po, newly appointed Mayor of Greater Shanghai, is expected to arrive to-day on a preliminary visit prior to taking up his post.—Havas.



After a battle in the skies with enemy aircraft. An armoured re-loading the magazines for the eight-gun fighters.—(Copyright, Fox.)

## NEGLECTIBLE EFFECT OF NAZI RAIDS

STRIKING FIGURES showing the almost negligible direct effect of German bombing on Britain's vital factories were given by the Home Secretary and Minister of Home Security, Mr. Herbert Morrison, yesterday addressing the first of a national series of conferences to be held to enable workpeople and managements to discuss methods of enabling factory work to be carried on after the siren.

"Figures recently have been collected," Mr. Morrison said, "by a large and well-known firm which has supplied great quantities of constructional material for industrial buildings of all kinds."

"Since the air raids started this firm has received from firms which it had supplied orders for materials to replace that which had been damaged. These orders amount to just one quarter of one per cent of the material supplied."

"Here is a very fair and representative sample of the extent of the damage to our country's vast productive machine."

"But damage can be indirect as well as direct. If we allowed Hitler's bombers to drive us to shelter every time they appeared he could paralyse our war production without dropping a single bomb."

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Mr. Morrison warmly praised the women of the country, saying: "Look to them with absolute confidence to pick up their men and play the part that only they can play in seeing that the store of offensive resources mount steadily until the day of victory dawns."—British Wireless.

## BANKRUPTCY PETITION

SITTING IN BANKRUPTCY JURISDICTION YESTERDAY, THE CHIEF JUSTICE, SIR A. T. H. O. L. MACGREGOR, GRANTED THE APPLICATION OF THE TUNG KEE FIRM, OF NO. 1, MERCER STREET, FOR A RECEIVING ORDER AGAINST THE CHUNG SHUN FIRM, OF NO. 1, DES VOUEX ROAD CENTRAL.

Mr. C. A. S. Russ, for the petitioning creditor, said the managing partner of the Chung Shun firm had absconded and an execution warrant had been issued against the firm and the goods of the firm were being sold for \$4,000.

Fung Sui-ling, manager of the petitioning firm, said that a sum of \$2,233.33 was owing for goods sold and delivered. The Chung Shun firm had been his customer for many years. In October he heard that the firm was in difficulties and when he visited the premises found the hall full of goods.

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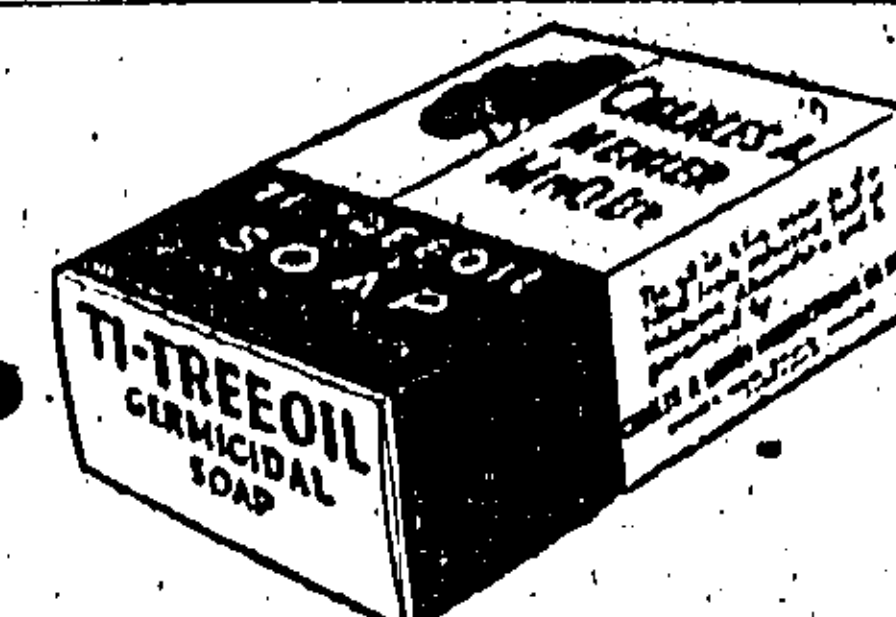
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## Trousseau Lingerie

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luxury fabrics like pure  
silk, autumn brides-to-be have  
to do some careful planning in or-  
der to get together the dainty lin-  
gerie garments every bride likes  
to have in her trousseau.

Both the made-up models and  
the fabrics bought by the yard  
are getting dearer, so this means  
wise buying, whether she is mak-  
ing the garments herself or buy-  
ing them ready-made.

HOWEVER clever a girl is at  
needlework she must have  
good models from which to copy,  
so many brides-to-be follow the  
plan of buying one or two model  
sets from an exclusive shop and  
then copying them in similar or  
different fabrics.

But girls in the Forces and  
others whose days are taken up  
with war work have not the time  
to do this now, so it is even more  
essential in their case that in their  
shopping they get as much value  
for money as they possibly can.

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quality and line of their exclusive  
lingerie.

LOOK at the beautifully made  
nightie and also at the cami-  
knicker garment shown in the  
sketches. They are in pure silk  
satin trimmed with fine ecru lace  
in a deep, almost café-au-lait  
shade. Line and fit are perfect.

Five hundred of these nighties  
and five hundred of the cami-  
knickers are being sold by this  
well-known New Bond Street firm  
at the price of £1 each garment.  
This is really a big bargain for  
these war-time days. Sizes are  
34in. to 36in. bust measurements,  
and colours are pale pink, pale  
blue and white.

If you want to take advantage  
of this special offer I should ad-  
vise you to do your shopping  
early, for it will be a long time  
before you are able to get such  
good value again at such small  
outlay.

You can order them by post  
from the firm mentioned with per-  
fect confidence. There is a charge  
for postage on each garment.

## Newest Boleros



WATCH out for such details as  
new necklines and new  
sleeves before you start planning  
your autumn and winter outfit, for  
a little sound fashion knowledge  
will help you not only to choose  
clothes correctly but to work out  
good renovation schemes.

Newest boleros are very short  
with long bishop sleeves. This is  
the type of bolero which part-  
ners a frock intended for evening  
wear.

Some afternoon frocks are made  
with bolero fronts—a most attrac-  
tive idea, the bolero in this case,  
of course, being in one piece with  
the frock.

There's nothing which will cheer  
up a last year's dinner frock so  
much as a gaily coloured bolero or  
jacket. Bright reds, blue greens,  
gold, silver—all go well with black  
or white, and are good colours to  
choose.

London's dress designers have  
thought out many good ideas in  
new evening jackets. One seen at  
a recent show was in herring-  
bone tweed, the design being com-  
pletely worked over with differ-  
ent coloured sequins in red, silver  
and green.

## THAT Yellow Alert!



MANY faces accustomed to wear  
a nice shade of tan at this  
time of year are looking yellowish.  
It is the greasy and normal-to-  
greasy skins which suffer from  
such conditions, because the action  
of their pores slows up and the  
pores themselves become choked.

Sallowness is often caused, at  
the beginning, by imperfect  
cleansing—that is, by using the  
wrong method for your skin type.  
A specially prepared milk which  
cleans away excess oil as well as  
make-up and dirt particles is a  
safe choice. It ensures that the  
skin is left really clean.

Use this milk night and morn-  
ing on a pad of cotton-wool. You'll  
probably find you have to use  
both sides of two pads to get off  
the day's grime thoroughly.

At night, after cleansing, wipe  
face and neck with a grease-  
clearing, skin-stimulating lotion.  
Allow it to dry. Then put in a  
night cream—preferably a gland  
one, because this helps to improve  
both the colour of the skin and  
its general condition.

In the morning, cleanse. Then  
apply a skin stimulating cream,  
and leave it on for 15 or 20 min-  
utes—preferably while you are in  
your bath.

This is a most important part  
of the treatment. It stirs up the  
cells and makes the blood stream  
do its duty to them.

Wipe off the cream with a little  
cleansing milk. Then your skin is  
ready for make-up—which should  
take the form of a foundation  
lotion.

You can choose one which has  
texture-refining and protective  
properties, as well as giving an  
attractive finish to face and neck.

## PUMPKINS: Pies, Tarts, And Souffles

Pumpkin, one of the cheapest vegetables on  
the market, can be used in a variety of appetising  
ways. Try some of these recipes when you have a  
cooking urge.

LINE a round well-buttered tin  
with thin slices of buttered  
bread. Mix together 2 slightly-  
beaten eggs, 1 level teaspoon made  
mustard, salt, pepper, a little pa-  
rika, 1 cup each sieved pumpkin  
and grated cheese, 1 tablespoon  
melted butter, ½ cup fine white  
bread-crumbs soaked in ½ cup  
top milk. Place in prepared  
mould and bake in moderate oven  
until set. Turn out and serve as  
a luncheon dish.

### PUMPKIN SOUFFLE

MELT 3 level tablespoons butter  
in a saucepan, add 2 table-  
spoons flour, cook a little, then  
add 1 cup tomato juice and stir  
until mixture is thick and leaves  
the sides of the pan clean. Add  
salt, pepper, and cayenne to taste.  
½ cup each grated pumpkin and  
grated cheese, 2 eggs, to taste,  
and the yolks of 3 eggs. Lastly  
fold in the whites, beaten to a  
stiff froth, and place in a prepared  
souffle dish and bake for about  
45 minutes.

### PUMPKIN CAKES

MIX together ½ lb. very dry  
mashed pumpkin, 1 small  
tablespoon plain flour, 2 table-  
spoons top milk, 1 level dessert-  
spoon butter, and salt to taste.  
Roll out thinly on a well-floured  
board, cut into rounds, to taste,  
on a well-greased hot griddle or  
heavy frying pan and bake for  
about 10 minutes, turning them  
often so they will cook through.  
Butter and pile on top of each  
other and serve for breakfast.

### PUMPKIN OMELET

GRATE finely 2 tablespoons dry  
pumpkin, add it to 2 well-  
beaten eggs, pepper, salt, 1 tea-  
spoon chopped parsley, and  
tablespoon milk. Melt 1 dessert-  
spoon butter in an omelet pan,  
pour in mixture and stir well un-  
til beginning to set, then push  
mixture on to one side of pan,  
getting it cushion shape. Allow  
the bottom to brown, then turn or  
place under grill to brown top.  
Serve at once with grilled bacon.

### PUMPKIN BREAD

SIFT 2 level cups plain flour with  
3 level teaspoons salt, ½ level  
teaspoon nutmeg and cinnam-  
on; add 2 level cups fine wheat-  
meal flour, 1 cup sultanas, 1 cup  
chopped walnuts. Cream ½ cup  
butter, add 1 cup grated dry  
pumpkin, then gradually add  
cup honey, beat well, add 2  
well-beaten eggs. Add to dry  
ingredients and gradually add  
1 cup milk or enough to make a soft  
dough, according to dryness of  
pumpkin. Mix all well together  
and bake in 2 well greased and  
floured loaf-tins for about 45 min-  
utes.

### PUMPKIN FRITTERS

PUT some cooked and very dry  
pumpkin through a sieve and  
measure 2 cups. Add salt and  
pepper to taste, 1 level teaspoon  
sugar, 1 dessertspoon mushroom  
ketchup, 2 level tablespoons melt-  
ed butter, 1 beaten egg, 1 table-  
spoon chopped parsley, 1 teaspoon  
chopped parsley, and about 2  
tablespoons top milk, according to  
dryness of pumpkin. Shape into  
round flat cakes and fry in bacon  
fat until brown on both sides.

### OLD-FASHIONED PUMPKIN PIE

LINE a tart plate with flaky or  
shortcrust and fill with the  
following: Dot a dry pumpkin in  
salted water to which a few cloves  
may be added, drain well, rub  
through a sieve, and measure 2  
cups. Add 1 tablespoon sherry,  
½ level teaspoon grated nutmeg,  
the grated rind and juice of 1  
lemon, or ¼ level teaspoon citric  
acid and 1 teaspoon essence lemon.  
Roll out pastry rather thinly for

top, press edges well together,  
brush over with egg-white, or a  
little milk, and bake in a moder-  
ate oven for about 45 minutes.

### PUMPKIN AND WALNUT CREAM TART

HAVE ready baked 1 large tart-  
case, made with a good short-  
crust, and fill with the following:  
Place 2 cups cooked and sieved  
dry pumpkin in the top of a dou-  
ble saucepan, add ¼ cup sugar, 1  
level teaspoon ground ginger, ¼  
level teaspoon ground cloves, 1  
level teaspoon salt, the grated rind  
of 1 lemon, 1 cup milk, and 2  
well-beaten egg-yolks. Stir over  
fire until mixture thickens, then  
add 1 level tablespoon gelatine,  
previously soaked in ¼ cup cold  
water. Stir until dissolved, allow  
mixture to cool and thicken. Beat  
the egg-whites until stiff, then  
gradually add ½ cup sugar and  
the juice of 1 lemon. Fold into  
mixture with 1 cup chopped wal-  
nuts and fill prepared case. Allow  
to set until firm.

## A Box Jacket

HERE'S the type of short, boxy  
jacket so handy for cheering  
up a dark frock if you make it in  
some bright colour.

It's quite up to date in line, and  
quite easy to make without a pat-  
tern if you study carefully the  
diagrams and instructions.

A fleecy woollen material is  
best. It looks well in frieze, in  
jersey or in angora. In fact, al-  
most any fabric providing the  
colour is right.

YOU will need only 2½ yards of  
3½in. material. Follow the  
measurements in the diagram. If  
you like, you can make your own  
pattern by cutting out in paper  
the three pieces shown.

All pieces are cut from double  
fabric, the centre back to the fold.  
Don't cut out the dart shown on  
the front shoulder. Mark its  
position with thread.

PIN the side seams, the shoulder  
seams and the darts on the

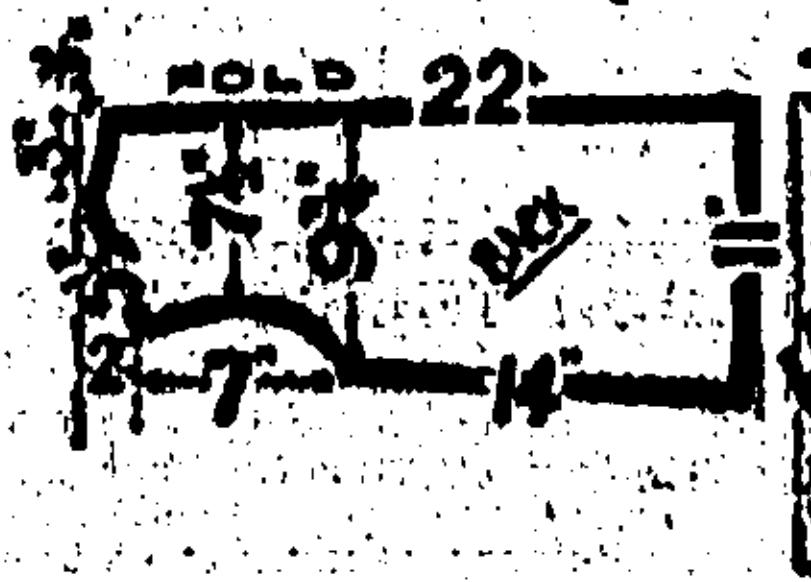
wrong side, then try on to see if  
any adjustments are needed be-  
fore tacking and machine-stitch-  
ing.

As the jacket is unlined the  
fronts need facing. You can cut  
the facings from the selvedge  
edges of the material from which  
the back was cut. Make them  
4in. wide and cut by the front  
pattern. The dotted line in the  
diagram and the 4in. mark indi-  
cate this.

PLACE the facings, right side  
down, on the right side of the  
coat and machine-stitch close to  
the edge. Then turn over to the  
wrong side. Stitch the sleeve  
seams and press these, and the  
coat seams and facings, before  
tacking them in. Take care in  
doing this to ease them by mak-  
ing small darts at the "V"-shaped  
points marked on the diagram to  
give the broad shoulder effect.

Turn in the neck and lower  
edge and necken with bias bind-  
ing. Cover the raw edges of the  
sleeves also with the binding. The  
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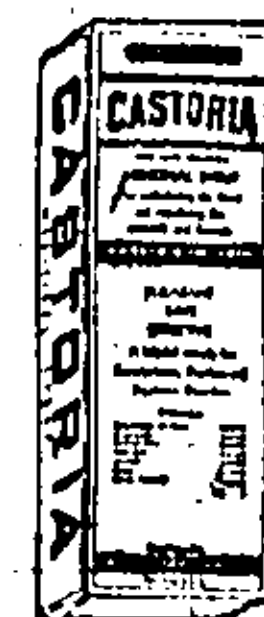
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... Boston Symphony Orchestra cond. by Serge Koussevitzky.

12.40 p.m.—Songs by Theodore Chailapine (Bass): Farewell of Boris ('Boris Godounov'—Moussorgsky). Death of Boris ('Boris Godounov'—Moussorgsky). Slender is a Whiskering Zephyr ('The Barber of Seville'—Rossini).

Song of the Flea (Moussorgsky).

1.00 p.m.—Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Irene Dunne (Soprano) and the New Light Symphony Orchestra.

1.30 p.m.—Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 p.m.—Tchaikowsky—Casse Noisette Suite.

- (a) Miniature Overture.
- (b) March.
- (c) Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairy.
- (d) Russian Dance.
- (e) Arab Dance.
- (f) Chinese Dance.
- (g) Dance of the Flutes.
- (h) Waltz of the Flowers.

... Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orch.

2.10 p.m.—Short Piano Recital by Arthur Rubinstein.

Valse Caprice (Rubinstein). Polonaise No. 2 in E Flat Minor, Op. 26, No. 2 (Chopin). Navarra (Albeniz). Sevilla (Albeniz).

2.30 p.m.—Close down.

7.00 p.m.—London Relay—The News.

7.15 p.m.—London Relay—Topical Talks: "Questions of the Hour".

7.30 p.m.—Excerpts from Gilbert & Sullivan's "Patience".

8.00 p.m.—Local Time Signal. Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m.—Albert Sandler and His Orchestra with Eva Turner (Soprano) and Richard Crooks (Tenor).

8.15 p.m.—Studio—Book Reviews.

9.00 p.m.—London Relay—The News & News Commentaries.

9.30 p.m.—Studio—Talk: "Nothing Doing by the Navy!" by Commr. Richard Airey, R.N.

9.45 p.m.—Chausson—Poeme, Op. 25. Yehudi Menuhin (Violin) and Orchestre Symphonique de Paris.

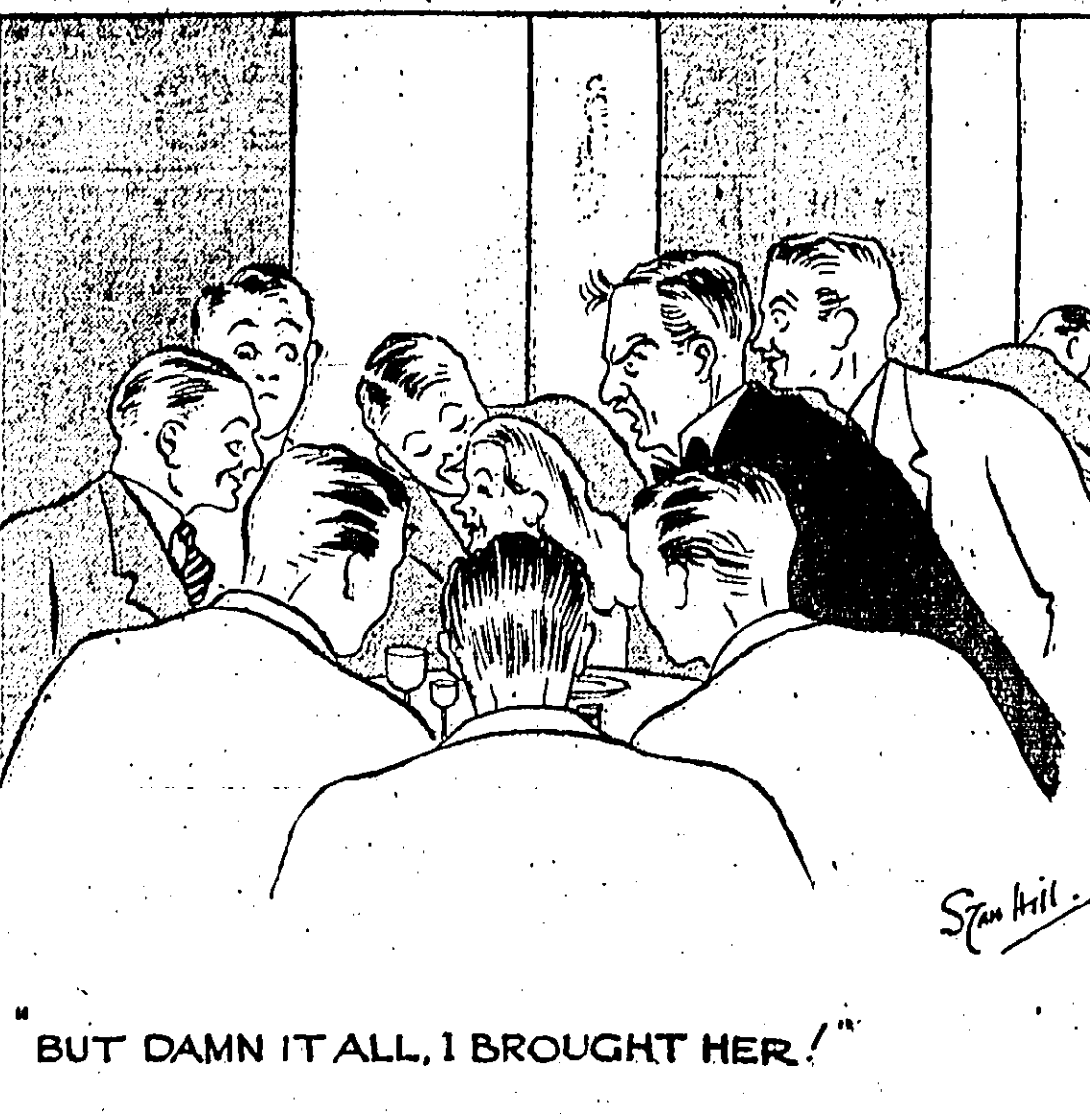
10.01 p.m.—Cesar Franck—Choral No. 1 in E Major for Organ. Albert Schweitzer (Organ).

10.17 p.m.—Studio—Sunday Evening Epilogue. Conducted by a Priest of the Roman Catholic Church.

10.37 p.m.—Close down.

## "SUNDAY HERALD" CARTOON.

By STAN HILL.



## Dover Carries On

DOVER in a quiet sort of way is more worried just now than ever I seen it. Worried not about the threatened invasion, the daily bombings, the noisy shellings or the occasional machine-gunning of balloons, but about the pesting that London has been getting.

Night after night sirens go in Dover with such clockwork regularity that we can adjust our watches by them. Sometimes, it is true, the bombs fall around us. More often than not the searchlights feel for arming Nazi planes which fly steadily north-westwards, hopping from cloud to cloud on their way to London.

Eight miles away as we are, we are yet sickened by the thought that those ferries will soon be dropping their filthy load on the world's greatest city.

Dover has its war-time nuisances, such as the incessant sirens with consequent closing of post offices and restrictions on telephone services, the ever-present threat of shelling from the Nazi big guns and the flying bullets from daily air battles.

It knows, too, the horrors of bombing, deliberate, indiscriminate or accidental, but it can, too, expect it as part of its daily lot, because geography or fate decreed that it should be in the front line. What it hates is the idea that the planes which pass overhead in the night are on their way to blast

After a day or two they don't their scarlet forage caps and walk into the nearest pub, filled with justifiable pride. "Did you see that yellow-nosed Messerschmidt down in the drink by the bank cliff? Well, that was us. . . We did it!"

Such an occasion calls for drinks all round, and many are the pints that Dover and the rural areas around have stood the gunners for their fine shooting in recent weeks. Here, as in London, we love a barrage, no matter how numerous, how heavy or how jagged are the shell splinters which come tumbling down.

Encouragement such as a few planes seen crashing into the sea or meadows sends spirits soaring just as it does in any type of Britain. Here, too, of course, we have one great treat which is denied to the men and women of every other part of the country—we can see the R.A.F. bombing the enemy, hear the thuds, see the flashes, the flames and the great columns of smoke which arise from the occupied French coast.

By Geoffrey Edwards

crowded narrow streets, where people in nothing but tin or brick air raid shelters are made victims of Nazi brutality.

Of course, in a hilly district like this there is no shortage of air raid shelters, such as caves, tunnels and cellars, and nowadays most civilians, as well as Service folk off duty, make full use of them. In the main streets any shops worth patronising have



THIS HAPPENED IN DOVER

long since opened up the pavement flaps leading to its vaults and invited all and sundry to take cover.

The Navy and the Army also throw open their shelters to the public, for, after all, in this eastern outpost of Western civilisation it is difficult to make such distinction between the men of the Forces and the civilian population which still includes, by the way, at least 800 children.

As a matter of fact any man or woman who has lived in the Dover area during the last two months and taken an intelligent interest in what goes on up above is now fully versed in the technique of aerial warfare.

every night as a result of our air-men's visit.

When we know that London is getting it hot, it is no small consolation to us to stand on the cliff edge in the dark and see for ourselves how the R.A.F. lads are hitting back.

So far the daily life of Dover is, of course, as normal as can be expected under war-time conditions. Buses run, shops are open, cinemas give their usual performances and so far as I know practically every aspect has its full services of gas, electricity and water.

When bombs or shells do damage the magnificent civilian defence organisations leap to action and soon clear up the mess. The emergency medical service is undoubtedly one of the finest in the country. Its little handful of doctors and nurses together with first-aid parties have coped with as many as 300 casualties a day, the doctors themselves at the end of it almost numbed by the continuous work of either.

The people for whom we are really sorry are the men of the coastal defence batteries. They never get any action. Bombed, machine-gunned, almost forgotten out on the hills, there they wait night and day for a chance to blast Hitler's invasion. Some of them have been in this front line almost isolated and bored for six months, with only a few hours in the local town and villages to relieve the monotony.

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Snapped at Recreo during "The China Mail" Challenge Cup match between 1st Battery "A" and "B" teams, which the "A" team, under Capt. J. Watson, won 2-0. From left to right are B. J. Blackford, J. R. Carr, G. Stone, Capt. J. Watson, T. Lockhart, P. Morrison, 2/Lt. D. McLellan, L. Jack and E. R. Cle-mow. (Kahn).

## ROYAL SCOTS AND SOUTH CHINA LOOK LIKE WINNING POINTS

By "Referee"  
TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME of football fixtures is not particularly interesting and both results in First Division are almost foregone conclusions.

Royal Scots are at home to Police at Sookunpoo and should collect both points as Police have been showing very poor form this season, in spite of the fact that they have the services of a number of useful players.

Royals played well last week, against Sing Tao and better shooting in their attack would improve their position in the League considerably.

In the other game South China are at home to St. Joseph's, and should win comfortably, in spite of the fact that they will again be

without Lee Wai-long, who is still nursing an injured ankle. A Leonard, formerly of International, will be playing for Saints on the right-wing, and this should strengthen the attack.

Following is to-day's programme—  
First Division  
R. Scots v. Police (Sookunpoo, 4.15 p.m.)  
St. Joseph's v. South China (Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m.)  
Second Division  
R. Scots v. South China (Caroline Hill, 2.45 p.m.)  
Kwong Wah v. Police (Boundary Street, 4 p.m.)  
Third Division  
Engineers v. Signals (Chatham Road, 4.15 p.m.)  
A.S.A. v. R.A.F. (Boundary Street, 2.45 p.m.)

## TO-MORROW'S CHARITY ENCOUNTER

Following football matches will be played to-morrow—  
Press v. Referees (Club, 2.30 p.m.)  
Rest v. United Services (Club, 4 p.m.)  
Referees v. First S. Wilson, N. Fraser, Lee Wing-long, A. Brackenbury, D. Dunne, A. W. Smith, K. K. Ip, G. H. Taylor, J. Carley, King Kai-lue, Reserves—R. Baker, W. M. Gier and W. J. Foster.

Press—H. Brokenshire, A. M. Omar and Mo Chui-ning; W. Maher, Turner and Mok Kai-yu; Au Shui-nok, Mun-ten, T. Lee, Meylin and O. M. Omar. Reserves—Sui Tin-lin and Tui Chau-kin. Team Manager—R. Goldman.

Rest of Colony—Cheung Wing-choi (Sing Tao), Blackburn (Police) and Lee Ting-sang (Sing Tao); Pope (Police), Williamson (Kowloon) and Hau King-seng (Eastern); Chung Yung-sun (Eastern), Fung Yung-chung (Sing Tao) (Capt.), Chan Tak-fai (South China), Lee Wai-long (South China) and Hau Ching-to (Eastern).

Reserves—D. Leonard (St. Joseph's), Teang Chung-wan (South China), Fowler (Club), Soong Ling-sing (Sing Tao), Chang Kam-hoi (Eastern), Li Shui-wan (Sing Tao) and Howie (Police). Manager—Mr. R. M. Omar.

United Services—Moxham (R.E.); Roughly (Navy) and Edmunds (R.A.F.); Parnaby (R.S.), Brat (Mid-dlesex) and Wilkinson (Middlesex); Barber (Navy); Phillips (Navy); Pearson (Middlesex); Hendy (Navy); Saw (Middlesex) and Gilroy (R.S.). Hosack (R.S.), Le Page (Navy), Honeywell (Navy), Cutburt (R.A.F.) and Birrell (R.E.).

## FOOTBALL SNIPPETS

Fraser, of Royals Scots, has appealed against the decision of the Emergency Committee in connection with an incident off the field recently.

Salter, of Royal Scots and who played in goal for their juniors last year, has obtained permission to play for Kowloon Football Club.

The First Round of the Governor's Cup Competition will be played on Sunday, November 24.

# Six Games To-day FORECAST OF FINALISTS NEXT SUNDAY

By "Skip"

THE VOLUNTEER Inter-Unit bowls competition for "The China Mail" Challenge Cup reaches an interesting stage to-day when the quarter-finals and semi-finals are to be played.

Hitherto interest has been chiefly confined to the units concerned but at the semi-finals, at Kowloon Football Club, it is expected that a more representative gathering will assemble.

To-day's programme is as follows—  
AT RECREO AT 10 A.M.  
1st Battery "A" v. A.S.C. Coy. "A"  
Cunner, P. Morrison, Cpl. F. Cullen, Gunner R. Carr, Pte. W. Hyde, Gun. B. J. Blackford, Sgt. J. G. Meyer, Cunt. J. Watson, Pte. E. Kern (Skip)

AT K.B.O.C. AT 10 A.M.  
Field Engineers v. Field Engineers  
C.Q.M.S. E. Carey, Spr. A. M. Calman, C.A. E. J. Castro, Spr. J. G. Ozorio, Spr. W. J. Howard, Spr. R. Lapley, Cpl. W. C. Simpson, Spr. R. Morrison (Skip)

Winners to meet in semi-final.  
AT K.C.C. AT 10 A.M.  
Field Engineers v. 5th A.A. Battery  
Cpl. L. Sykes, Gun. W. Melrose, Cpl. J. H. Bottomley, Gun. R. Main, Cpl. J. L. Stephens, Gun. R. M. Keown, C.Q.M.S. A. Spary, Gun. J. C. Chalmers (Skip)

AT K.B.O.C. AT 10 A.M.  
Field Amb. "B" v. No. 6 Coy. "A"  
Pte. A. Tor, Pte. H. A. Luz, Pte. W. Higgs, Pte. J. F. V. V. (Skip)

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By "Grandstand"  
The eagerly awaited St. Joseph's v. Recreo Aces softball tilt will be played off to-day at 1.30 p.m. at Kowloon Football Club as an opener to the Senior League.

The Saints are stronger than last year, when they played under the colours of Hong Kong Ball Club, and, with their heavy willow-wielding, should have a slight edge over the Rambling Recs, whose ace-hurler, Johnnie Alvares, seems to have hit the slumps lately.

Mentor Choppy Omar of Saints will start his only hurler, Frankie Goncalves, with Hal Wingle at the receiving end, whilst the base-paths will be guarded by Power-house Stan Leonard, Ozo Ozorio and Dave Leonard, with George Souza plugging up the short-stop alley. Saints will rely mostly on their attack, and show "Thunderer's row" of Ozorio, Stan Leonard, Dave Leonard and Powlawski has been the nightmare all the local pitchers.

Johnnie, on whom the Recs. have depended in the past, has been elected vice-president of Hong Kong Football Association in place of Commander W. P. MacCarthy, who has left the Colony. Cmdr. Millet will also serve on the Appeals Board of the Association.

Edmunds, of Air Force and who has been chosen to represent Combined Services to-morrow, will not be the first to play in a representative game here since 1939. Altkan, Jarvis and Vernon of Air Force played in such games, when all three were attached to H.M.S. Hermes.

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## Gunners Fancied

Fifth A.A. Battery have always been fancied to go far, and they should prove able to surmount to-day's obstacle, Field Engineers "A" skipper by "Spud" Spary, who has as his right hand man Stephens, Kowloon Tong skip. These two are sound, though I do not think that Spary has been playing much lately, but there is a certain weakness as regards No. 2, where Capt. Jack Battonley will not prove up to Bob Main's high standard. Sykes, as lead, may well hold his own with Bill Melrose.

**Leigh Unavailable**  
In the remaining game it looks as if No. 6 "A" will have an easy victory against Field Ambulance "B", who have had to find a reserve for Bob Leigh, who is unable to turn out to-day. I would say that Medicals never had a chance against this strong opposition in any case, so the charge will make little difference.

**Semi-Finalists?**  
So my semi-finals are—  
A.S.C. "A" v. Field Engineers "C"  
5th A.A. Battery v. No. 6 Coy. "A"

It is not easy to write in the abstract, nor to add to what I have already written, so I will make a brief forecast of the morning games. I anticipate, and will forecast A.S.C. Coy. and No. 6 Coy. "A" for the Final.

This will be played at Kowloon Bowling Green Club at 3 p.m. next Sunday, under the "China Mail" Challenge Cup and souvenirs will be presented to the winners by Col. H. B. Rose M.C., Commandant of the Corps, immediately after the match.

**Cullen Back**  
Although one can never tell in a game of bowls it looks as if the first game is a pretty good thing for A.S.C. Coy. "A", who will have the assistance of Fred Cullen, who was absent in their last game. His foot is fully recovered, and he should add considerable strength to what has proved a useful side. First Battery is not very strong, but did quite well to beat Tommy Madan's rink from No. 3 Coy. in an earlier round. Capt. Jack Watson, in their best player, but he has not nearly the support which Kern has, all four of the A.S.C. rink being First Division players.

**"C" Team Favoured**  
A much better game should be that between Field Engineers "B" and "C" teams at Kowloon Bowling Green Club. The Kowloon

Following are the latest Club lawn bowls tournament results—  
**CIVIL SERVICE**  
Third Round—J. L. Carr beat D. Crawley; W. J. Burling beat H. Strange; W. Hylar beat S. Ecclesall; J. McDowan beat A. D. Allan.  
**HONG KONG FOOTBALL CLUB**  
Pairs Competition  
Semi-Final—B. I. Blackford and C. F. Hoddman beat A. W. Gratton and A. W. Hodges.  
**KOWLOON BOWLING C.C.**  
Club Championship  
Second Round—L. Sykes beat C. E. Langley.  
Vice-President's Cup  
Second Round—J. E. Henson beat C. S. M. The President's Cup

Third Round—R. Duncan beat J. Fraser; Third Round—A. Hyde-Lay beat L. A. Jordan.  
Handicap Singles  
Third Round—W. Houston (plus 3) beat H. C. Spang (plus 0).  
Handicap Pairs  
Third Round—S. M. Thom and G. Sheriff (scr.) beat E. Seard and T. Armstrong (plus 2).  
Non-Prize Winners  
Third Round—L. Sykes and S. C. Walker.

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**New Pitcher Needed**  
Immediately after this tussle, Hong Kong Baseballers will be seen in action again, and this time Philipinos will be the victims of their sensational fielding. The Vagabondation have tasted victory and are pennant-minded.

Philipino slabs have not shown much form in their pitching, in spite of the fact that the season is one month old, and it would seem that a new hurler is required if they are to go places.

Hindatcher Bob Laurel's pegs to second are much better, but short-stop Harry Campos will never half his man if he runs out to get the ball.

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IN THE LIMELIGHT, NO. 43

## M.R. ABBAS LOSES COLONY TITLE BUT HAS GREAT TRIUMPH

M. R. ABBAS, though beaten by M. N. Rakusen in last week's Colony Lawn Bowls Singles Championship, performed a feat that will long be remembered in local bowls circles when he beat U. M. Omar, a 3 to 1 on favourite for the title, by 21-20 in the Semi-Final Round.

Abbas, born in Hong Kong and educated at Queen's College, started playing bowls in 1935 at Indian Recreation Club, just after that Club had been promoted to First Division after being Second Division champions. I.R.C. ran only one team in those days and Abbas secured his place as No. 1 in one of the three rinks.

He held this position—always in the I.R.C. first team—until 1937, when he was promoted to No. 3. He went further ahead in the latter part of 1938, when he skipped for the first time, and since then he has been one of the three skips at Sookunpo. During this past season, when he won eight of his 17 games and tied one to place 12th in the skip's table, he recorded two seven in League games.

He has one League medal, when I.R.C. won Second Division in 1937.

### ENTERS OPEN

HIS first appearance in the Open Singles was in 1936, when he was beaten by W. K. Way in the Third Round. In 1937 and 1938 he was eliminated by A. Hyde-Lay, 1933 champion, and last year he reached the Quarter-Finals, only to lose to C. F. Remedios, ex-Singapore champion and Inter-Port footballer, who in turn lost to A. R. Dallas in the Semi-Final. This year he skipped a rink in the Open, entering for the fun of it more than anything else, and, after drawing a bye in the First Round, beat rinks skip by V. Chittenden and A. Jilott—the latter had eliminated Carlos Silva—before being crushed by U. M. Omar's rink in the Quarter-Finals.

### 1940 SUCCESSES

Following are the matches he played on his way to this year's Open Final:

beat R. Duncan ..... 21-20  
beat A. E. Coates ..... 21-10  
beat A. Morton ..... 21-3  
beat A. R. Minu ..... 21-11  
beat U. M. Omar ..... 21-20

The game that will stand out in his memory for many years to come was the Semi-Final game against U. M. Omar, four times winner and against whom he was playing for the first time in a singles match.

Omar, leading 6-2 at the 5th, scored 11 2 1 3 to lead 14-2 at the 10th and a three at the 15th saw him lead 18-6. Abbas conceded two singles after that—he was down 20-18 at the 25th—and finished up with a winning ball of 1 2 1 2 0 1 3 1 0 1 2 for a 21-20 win over a man who had beaten A. R. Dallas 21-20 in last year's Final after being 20-10 down.

### I.R.C. FINAL

THE nearest he came to winning the I.R.C. title was in 1938, when he was beaten in the Final by A. R. Dallas, who was runner-up in the Open the following year. His rink reached the I.R.C. Rink's Final last year and again this year. In this year's competition his four (A. S. Safford, D. M. A. Razaek and J. Hoosen) eliminated A. R. Minu's highly fancied rink and then lost to A. M. Watson's rink (A. Safford, A. R. Kitchell and C. Shipp).

### SKIPS MALAYA

HE has represented Malaya in the Gutierrez Shield International matches since 1935, when he was No. 1 in the Malayan rink which lost in the Final to India. Other members of that rink were A. M. Wahab (No. 2), M. Y. Adal (No. 3) and A. R. Dallas (skip). He skipped the Malayan rink in the 1939 and 1940 competitions.

He has yet to play in an Inter-Port Trial.

He played in his first Aitkenhead Shield match yesterday.

### TWO HAT-TRICKS

HIS cricket feats include two League "hat-tricks"—against R.A.S.C. in 1939 and against Civil Service last season, when he returned his best analysis of that season, 6 for 20.

He was a member of I.R.C.'s first eleven until the arrival of the late F. D. Pereira, when he joined the second eleven and enjoyed considerable success, win-

## YACHT RACE PROTEST

Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club's 2nd Annual Regatta series championship over 8 miles yesterday resulted as follows:

| "A" Class Started 2.40 p.m.             | Corrected Posn. | Points |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------|--------|
| Gull (Capt. A. O. G. Miller)            | 10.61.24        | 13     |
| Joss (Major G. E. Neve)                 | 10.52.20        | 2      |
| Arcturion (Mr. G. G. Wood)              | 10.52.51        | 3      |
| Lullula (Mr. G. G. Wood)                | 10.53.16        | 4      |
| Gull (Mr. S. K. Heilberg)               | 10.56.10        | 5      |
| Joss (Capt. G. J. Terry)                | 10.56.50        | 6      |
| Redhawk (Capt. J. Kroughmire)           | 10.56.50        | 7      |
| Maureen (Mr. D. Allen)                  | 17.00.14        | 8      |
| Kuala (Mrs. M. Johnson)                 | 17.02.26        | 9      |
| True Blue (Mr. F. Manning)              | 17.03.01        | 10     |
| Painted Lady (Mr. J. J. Harrison, R.N.) | 17.21.20        | 11     |
| Tyrone (Mr. B. Hirschfeld)              | 17.20.10        | 12     |
| Scout (Mr. J. Johnson)                  | 17.21.20        | 13     |
| Isabel (Major C. V. Temple)             | 17.23.07        | 14     |
| Mixed Class Started 2.50 p.m.           |                 |        |
| Zephyr (Major C. Rochford, R.N.)        | 17.44.21        | 10     |
| Widgeon (Mr. F. F. MacCabe)             | 17.21.26        | 8      |
| Wink (Mr. C. T. Harrington)             | 17.21.26        | 3      |
| Wendy (Mr. H. W. Brown)                 | 17.21.35        | 4      |
| Owl (Mr. G. L. Eastgate)                | 17.21.40        | 5      |
| Eryl (Lt. Col. J. C. L. Valey)          | 17.38.40        | 6      |

This standing is subject to the result of the protest Wendy v Owl.

## JASPER CLARK CUP GOLF SERIES

Following is today's draw and starting times for the Jasper Clark Cup and Royal Hong Kong Golf Club's Championship:

| Old Course                                 | New Course                                   |
|--------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| 9.20 a.m. A. W. Bourne & I. G. Gentry      | 12.40 p.m. K. S. Robertson & J. L. C. Pearce |
| 9.25 .. J. L. C. Pearce & I. P. Tanwerth   | 12.45 .. I. P. Tanwerth & B. G. Taylor       |
| 9.30 .. B. G. Taylor & L. Linaker          | 12.50 .. L. Linaker & F. D. Hunter           |
| 9.40 .. F. D. Hunter & T. V. G. Gentry     | 1.00 .. T. V. G. Gentry & A. D. Humphreys    |
| 9.45 .. A. D. Humphreys & F. A. Redmond    | 1.05 .. F. A. Redmond & G. C. Worrall        |
| 9.50 .. G. C. Worrall & S. L. Morrison     | 1.10 .. S. L. Morrison & J. A. D. Morrison   |
| 9.55 .. J. A. D. Morrison & R. K. Collings | 1.15 .. R. K. Collings & S. Tomlinson        |
| 10.00 .. S. Tomlinson & W. Hewitt          | 1.20 .. W. Hewitt & F. Groves                |
| New Course                                 | Old Course                                   |
| 9.20 a.m. W. Hewitt & F. Groves            | 12.40 p.m. A. R. Kennedy & R. A. Lissaman    |
| 9.25 .. A. R. Kennedy & R. A. Lissaman     | 12.45 .. R. A. Lissaman & D. S. Robb         |
| 9.30 .. D. S. Robb & E. J. Mitchell        | 12.50 .. E. J. Mitchell & D. Humphreys       |
| 9.35 .. D. Humphreys & A. J. Dennis        | 12.55 .. A. J. Dennis & N. L. Smith          |
| 9.40 .. N. L. Smith & W. W. C. Sheehan     | 1.00 .. W. W. C. Sheehan & D. S. Edward      |
| 9.45 .. D. S. Edward & A. M. Kennedy       | 1.05 .. A. M. Kennedy & R. A. Lissaman       |
| 9.50 .. R. A. Lissaman & D. S. Robb        | 1.10 .. D. S. Robb & E. J. Mitchell          |
| 9.55 .. E. J. Mitchell & D. Humphreys      | 1.15 .. D. Humphreys & A. J. Dennis          |
| 10.00 .. A. J. Dennis & N. L. Smith        | 1.20 .. N. L. Smith & W. W. C. Sheehan       |

### Last Five Winners

| Following are the winners of the Jasper Clark Cup for the last five years: | Old Course | New Course |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| 1935 Col. Blake                                                            | 77         | 75         |
| 1936 T. A. Pearce                                                          | 74         | 149        |
| 1937 O. E. C. Martin                                                       | 77         | 102        |
| 1938 O. E. C. Martin                                                       | 77         | 142        |
| 1939 J. T. Smith                                                           | 74         | 149        |

## COTTAGE CLUB RIDE

Attended by a crowd of 70, many of whom, dressed in the costume of cowboys and cowgirls, the Cottage Club ride at Sheungshui yesterday was a typically successful affair.

About 35 attended on horses and on foot, leaving the Wyat country to finish at about 6 p.m., after which a barbecue supper, cooked over open fires, provided needed refreshment.

Among those present were Kiki de Chailoy, de Courcelles, Beryl Fair, Miss Christine Wyatt, Mary Smalley and Mrs. Perry, and the Chinese community were well represented by Peter Wong and several guests.

ning a League medal in 1930-31, captaining the side which won the title the following season, captaining the 1932-33 side which just missed carrying off the championship for the third year in succession when they lost to Craiglow in their last match after requiring only a draw for the title, and winning the bowling averages in the 1938-39 season. Last season he secured the most wickets in Second Division, 30 in all, and was third in the League standings with an average of eight odd. He is again captain of the second eleven this season.

### OTHER SPORTS

WHILE at Queen's College he played football, but has had little time since to continue what was considered quite a promising career. He has represented I.R.C. in "B" Division of the Lawn Tennis League for a great many seasons and was a member of their Ping Pong League team some years ago—H.J.E.R.

## Brilliant Full-Back Play By Wall

### Services Well Beaten By 8 To 3

### K.C.C. SCOREBOARD MODERNISED

Kowloon Cricket Club's new board of the most up-to-date cricket scoreboard in the Colony. Last season they introduced the run-by-run total system. Now they have gone even further and also score each batsman's runs as he makes them. There is a further movement afoot to wash out the "bowling" marking on the board, which is only used when an interport team is entertained, and substitute "runs at Fall of Last Wicket."

## OLESON IMPRESSES AT FORWARD

By "SCRUM-HALF"

Navy "A", aided by Marsh of yesterday against Club "A", aided by Jackson and Jenner of Police, each side scoring two tries (6 pts.) after having shared six points at the interval.

The result was a fair one as neither side could claim superiority. Navy looked the more businesslike in attack but poor handling or passing minimised their scoring chances. Club, on the other hand, had few opportunities, due to the fact that Watson gave Navy the ball times without number in the tight scrums, but they seized whatever came their way. Outstanding players were Morgan, the Navy fly-half, Carter, the Navy fly-half—he was the best player on the field—and Oleson, who is making a comeback. Godfrey, B. Hynes and Dalziel in the Club pack.

Much showed great speed on the wing but he eluded Thompson only once.

### Navy Twice Lead

Club started with 14 men, but B. Hynes made up their team after being taken from the stand. Navy opened the scoring when Morgan came up with his three-quarters to go over in the corner. Marsh failed with the kick. Van Leewen was lucky to equalise as a faulty pass from Morgan being over near the touch line. Morgan failed to convert. Just before half time Oleson all but scored after a good dribble. In the second half Marsh broke away and scored between the posts. Watson failed to fail with the kick. Robinson, who had played well in spasms, then had to leave the field with an injured right leg. Danger came out of the pack to take his place in the centre, but for all that the seven Navy forwards continued to get the best of the tight scrums. Morgan scored the last try for Club and Hopkins failed to kick a goal.

## MANSON MARATHON FAVOURITE

ONE OF THE LARGEST ENTRIES FOR ANY ONE EVENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY THE SPONSORS OF THE MARATHON RACE, WHICH WILL START IN GASCOIGNE ROAD, OPPOSITE THE ALHAMBRA THEATRE, AT 9 A.M. TO-DAY.

The course is over a distance of approximately 8 1/2 miles, and the race will finish in front of the Alhambra Theatre.

No fewer than 70 runners, including three Europeans and nine Indians, have entered for the race, which is expected to be watched by a large crowd. Pte. Manson, who has established quite a reputation for himself as a distance runner, is favoured to win, but it is possible that he will be extended by some runner, unknown locally, among the Chinese entries.

Following is the complete list of entries—

P. Manson, A. Lewis, Francis Soares, Fazal Illak, Naranjan Singh, Karam Singh, M. J. Zaman, Kartar Singh, Dalip Singh, Lakhman Singh, Ahmed Singh, Sardara Singh, Ch. Heung Kai-sang, Lam Fook-sang, To Shu-yu, Lucky Mark, Fung Chung-ming, Lee Yuk-fung, Lai Sze-wai, Lee Sang, So Pak-ming, Tang Tsang-hung, Lee Kiu-lai, Lo Yin-cho, Wong Shu-yu, Lee Yee-man, Lau Pui, Tsui Tim-yuen, Shek Lui, Yeung Tung-wah, Chan Sing-hoi, Ma Le-pui, Chan Cheung, Lau, Nam-ze, Chu Tak-wing, Ho Kam, Chan Ping-yim, Lai Pun-yuen, Leung Kuen-yuen, So Kim-sun, So Chung-sun, Sin Hung, So Pak-ming, Tang Tsang-hung, Yung Yick-kiao, Tong Shu-ching, Cheung Ying-to, Tang Chak-kwong, Wong Yu-sam, Lai Man-wah, Yip Kim-kong, Ho Shui-man, Wong Bo-hay, Ho Yau-tung, Kom Shiu-yeung, To Kam-ah, Leung Yau-sang, Chan Chai-cheung, Sun Kam-chee and Ho Lin-kwong.

## Ford Establishes Himself As Army Hooker

By "Scrum-Half"

CROSSING OVER 3-0 DOWN, COMBINED CLUB AND POLICE RALLIED WELL TO BEAT UNITED SERVICES BY A GOAL AND A TRY (8 PTS.) TO A TRY (3 PTS.) IN A SCRAPPY RUGBY MATCH AT THE VALLEY YESTERDAY.

Services made numerous changes. Carter, who had already played for the Navy "A" team, came in at full-back in place of the injured Clague, Paul took Bucknell's place in the centre, Bucknell went to fly-half instead of Hook; who was playing hooker, and Millar and Gillan came into the pack in place of Brown and the injured King.

Outstanding player on the field was Wall, at full-back. He played a brilliant game, fielding every kick with the utmost confidence and finding touch with amazing accuracy. Apart from his failure to stop Paul from scoring the first try—and bad marking in front of him left him at a big disadvantage—he played a flawless game.

Two other players to impress were Ford, who hooked excellently and performed valuable work in the loose, and Alec Taylor, who showed more initiative in the loose than he has done for some time.

The civilian side were handicapped early in the second half when Thomson injured his right arm. He remained at scrum-half for a time, but later went into the pack, being relieved by Wright-Booth. It was not long, however, before he was back in his old position, but he had few opportunities, even prior to his injury, due to the fact that Ford was gaining possession nine times at every ten, and when Club did manage a heel—Macrae and Cullinan both hooked—the ball was held up between the second and back row till it was too late to gain any advantage.

Charter was selfish yesterday, being brought down in possession time and again, while he used the punt more than was necessary.

### Poor Handling

Club backs handled and passed badly in comparison with the previous Saturday against Police, and as a result opportunities were thrown away.

At forward, McCrae and Wright-Booth were always in the thick of things. Carter did extraordinarily well at full-back for Services. Paul was below his usual standard, fumbling several passes, but being again dandy in his tackling.

Douglas was the main danger in the Services' attack, while he kept as close a watch on Stewart as was possible after full-back for Services. Paul was and he did an excellent job of work, despite several heavy spills.

Services, who lacked two hard-running wing-three-quarters, were not particularly well served by Bucknell at fly-half. Though his passing was well-nigh perfect, his style of play was much too orthodox considering the number of opportunities he had.

In a pack that lacked dash and combination Taylor worked hard in the loose and Wilkins, though inclined to be offside, and Pinkerton played well.

The game was spoiled by poor handling and passing by the backs, and as a result there were few open movements.

### The Game

Douglas provided the first thrill when he cut through and completed a pass to Paul, who, no one in front of him, Alec Taylor, who was following up, intercepted the pass to save a certain score.

## TO-DAY'S ANNUAL "AT HOME" AT COUNTRY CLUB

The annual "at home" of the Country Golf Club, Sheungshui, will be held to-day during which will be the annual distribution of prizes.

Following are the winners of today's competition, prize winners for the annual tournament last year are:

Club Championship—A. A. Lopes; Runner-up, E. Sudick.

Junior Championship—S. V. Gittins; Runner-up, Geo. Lee.

Senior Cup—S. V. Gittins; Runner-up, M. F. de Pinna.

Men's Foursomes—F. E. D'Almada Remedios and W. C. Hung; Runners-up, Dr. P. K. C. Fyau and T. Y. C. Lee.

Mixed Foursomes—C. H. T. Suen and Miss L. G. Abiong; Runners-up, Geo. Lee and Miss E. Heang.

Ladies' Championship—Mrs. A. J. Kew; Runner-up, Miss L. G. Abiong.

Ladies Cup—Mrs. A. J. Kew; Runner-up, Miss A. Sequin.



## SAINTS AND C.B.A. DRAW

EVACUATION NOTWITHSTANDING, A FAIR STANDARD WAS SEEN IN THE FRIENDLY HOCKEY MATCH AT KING'S PARK, YESTERDAY, BETWEEN ST. ANDREW'S LADIES AND C.B.A. LADIES. THE GAME ENDED IN A DRAW OF 1-ALL AFTER ST. ANDREW'S HAD LED AT THE INTERVAL.

The C.B.A. team was composed of players from the old C.B.A. team, several former "Y" Ladies and a C.B.S. girl, while the Saints' side was almost intact, although Miss S. Birchell, a recent arrival in the Colony, gave a polished display at centre-forward and proved a valuable find.

C.B.A. were best served by their defence, the Misses Nora Wicheil and Phyllis Woolley proving a stalwart pair of backs, and Miss P. McCaw, Mrs. Joyce and Miss Kew a hardworking intermediate-line. The forward-line was disjointed, the forwards, players who turned out being Mrs. Crawford, who has improved considerably since last season.

St. Andrew's defence was mediocre but the forwards made some dangerous breakaways and at one period early in the second half Bruce shot over but Miss Bruce, only to have them all dealt with very competently. Miss Birchell distributed well and was given good support by Miss Roza and Miss P. Wong.

Miss Roza scored for St. Andrew's just before the interval, and Miss E. Woolley equalised half-way through the second half, after Mrs. Crawford had made the opening.

C.B.A. Ladies—Miss S. Bruce; Miss N. Wicheil and Miss E. Woolley; Miss P. McCaw, Mrs. I. L. Joyce and Miss J. Kew; Mrs. J. Crawford, Miss P. Barker, Miss E. Woolley and Miss R. Stiller.

St. Andrew's Ladies—Miss J. Hall; Miss G. White and Mrs. E. Hanson; Miss G. Darby; Miss J. Wong and Miss E. Greenway; Miss F. Wong, Miss H. May, Miss S. Birchell, Miss M. da Roza and Miss I. Hicks.

### "Y" Beat K.I.C.

In a hard-fighting, robust friendly hockey match at King's Park yesterday, Y.M.C.A. seniors beat Kowloon Indian Tennis Club 2-0. Play never reached a very high standard, being generally scrappy, and "Y" were by far the better team, only the line goal-keeping of Surjit Singh and the determined tackling of Karnal Singh and Atar Singh saving the Indians from an even bigger defeat.

The "Y" defence was sound, while Smith, Dunne and Morgan were the pick of the forwards. Gammell, who in the course of the game missed numerous scoring opportunities, netted for "Y" late in the first half and McGahan, who had previously played a good game in the second team, made the game safe when he followed up a shot which the goal-keeper had no time to clear.

### Juniors Beaten

Prior to the senior match, "Y" juniors entertained a junior Khalsa team and lost by the odd goal in three, the latter sharing two goals at the interval.

Harbans Singh and Dilwara Singh scored for Khalsa, and McGahan netted for "Y."

### CLUB'S FIRST XI

Hong Kong Hockey Club will entertain Club de Recoletu at Continued at foot of preceding Col.



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# SING TAO WIN, BUT KOWLOON MIGHT HAVE SHARED SPOILS

AT KOWLOON, Sing Tao retained their unbeaten record when they defeated Kowloon by 3 goals to 1.

The score is no indication of the play as the winners were fully extended and Kowloon missed two easy chances of equalising. The game was played at a very fast pace throughout and plenty of good open football was seen from both teams. Kowloon gave a far better exhibition of football than they have done for a long time, and looked at one time as if they might take a point from Sing Tao.

Lapsley was not called on to save many shots, and he never had a chance with any of the goals scored against him. The entire defence played grand football and were a match for the all-star Chinese forward line.

Lamb and Ulrich had to work hard, and their hard tackling cleared many dangerous situations. The Williamses played the third back game to great effect and effectively bottled up Kwok Ying-kee. He is undoubtedly one of the best centre-halfs in the Colony, and his coolness under pressure gives him the stamp of a professional. Hutchison and Maxwell gave him great support, the former especially earning the applause of the crowd by his grand clearances.

## White Improves

With the exception of Blake, the forwards played good football, and they all worked hard to get the ball into the net. White has returned to his old position at inside-right and a great change in his play is already noticeable. He played a great game and was the real brains of the attack, sending long passes to both wings, and giving Blake many chances to get through the centre, Jack-

## ORDNANCE FALL AWAY

Navy defeated R.A.O.C. at Caroline Hill by 5 goals to 3 after sharing four goals at the interval. The game was not devoid of interest, particularly in the initial half when both teams were fighting hard for supremacy. After early promise Ordnance fell away badly, the defence being time and again sprendented and lacking in understanding. Adams and Russell were sadly below form, whilst Harding and Jones left their wingers unmarked practically throughout the game.

In contrast, Navy were always swinging the ball about effectively and found their men to advantage. Hazard played extremely well in the pivotal position, sending the wingers Barber and Breese perfect passes.

The half-backs played well together, although Heap had a trying game watching the speedy Duffield, who time and again out-paced him, to send over splendid centres. Hawkins was sound and distributed well to the inside men. Mears was on form at full-back, his first-time kicking and tackling being pretty to watch, whilst Edwards his partner, although not as spectacular, was sound in his positioning. Rush had a busy afternoon, but accomplished many splendid saves. Duffield's high centres.

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS AND GOAL-SCORERS

| FIRST DIVISION     |   |                  |   |
|--------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Carterh.....       | 3 | Royal Navy       | 1 |
| Hau Ching-to 2,    |   | Heady.           |   |
| V. K. Hyui (pen.), |   |                  |   |
| Kowloon.....       | 1 | Sing Tao         | 3 |
| Jackson (pen.),    |   | Lai Shui-wing 2, |   |
|                    |   | Kwok Ying-kee,   |   |
|                    |   |                  |   |
| Middlesex.....     | 2 | Club             | 1 |
| Tait, Pearson,     |   | Fowler,          |   |
| SECOND DIVISION    |   |                  |   |
| R.A.O.C.....       | 3 | Royal Navy       | 5 |
| Duffield (pen.),   |   | Cummins 3,       |   |
| Munton,            |   | Heady,           |   |
| Gardner,           |   | Harding (o.s.),  |   |
| Kwong Wah.....     | 3 | Police           | 2 |
| Loong Ching-p,     |   | Fan Kwai-choi,   |   |
| Lee Yan-leung 2,   |   | Channing,        |   |
| Kowloon.....       | 0 | Sing Tao         | 4 |
|                    |   | Hau Shui-chun 2, |   |
|                    |   | Lau Tau-man 2,   |   |
|                    |   |                  |   |
| Club.....          | 1 | Middlesex        | 5 |
| Haynes,            |   | Thomas,          |   |
|                    |   | Hillardes,       |   |
|                    |   | Jennings,        |   |
| THIRD DIVISION     |   |                  |   |
| 36th R.A.....      | 2 | Shell            | 0 |
| Weldrake,          |   |                  |   |
| Goodenough,        |   |                  |   |
| A.S.A.....         | 1 | 7th R.A.         | 5 |
| Sauza,             |   | McCadden 4,      |   |
|                    |   | Willie,          |   |
| R.A.S.C.....       | 2 | 35th R.A.        | 0 |
| Greenwood,         |   |                  |   |
| Hart,              |   |                  |   |
| R.A.M.C.....       | 4 | R.A.F.           | 4 |
| Parkin,            |   | Bartlett 3,      |   |
| Bright (pen.),     |   | Manfield,        |   |
| Smith, Webb,       |   |                  |   |
| 26th R.A.....      | 2 | 12th R.A.        | 2 |
| Chan Fook-on,      |   | Blanch,          |   |
| 24th R.A.....      | 2 | International    | 2 |
| Minners, Grief,    |   | Bodie, Jley,     |   |

## League Tables To Date

| FIRST DIVISION |    |    |    |
|----------------|----|----|----|
|                | P. | W. | L. |
| Sing Tao       | 7  | 6  | 1  |
| Eastern        | 9  | 5  | 2  |
| South China    | 4  | 2  | 2  |
| Middlesex      | 7  | 4  | 3  |
| Royal Navy     | 2  | 3  | 2  |
| Royal Scots    | 6  | 2  | 4  |
| Kowloon        | 6  | 1  | 5  |
| Club           | 6  | 2  | 4  |
| St. Joseph's   | 6  | 1  | 5  |
| Police         | 6  | 1  | 5  |
| Kwong Wah      | 6  | 0  | 6  |

| SECOND DIVISION |    |    |    |
|-----------------|----|----|----|
|                 | P. | W. | L. |
| Engineers       | 7  | 5  | 2  |
| Middlesex       | 8  | 5  | 3  |
| R.A.S.C.        | 6  | 1  | 5  |
| Navy            | 7  | 1  | 6  |
| S. China        | 7  | 3  | 4  |
| R. Scots        | 7  | 4  | 3  |
| Sing Tao        | 7  | 3  | 4  |
| R.A.O.C.        | 7  | 3  | 4  |
| Kit Chai        | 7  | 3  | 4  |
| 30th R.A.       | 7  | 2  | 5  |
| Kwong Wah       | 7  | 2  | 5  |
| Club            | 7  | 1  | 6  |
| Kowloon         | 8  | 0  | 8  |
| Police          | 8  | 0  | 8  |

| THIRD DIVISION |    |    |    |
|----------------|----|----|----|
|                | P. | W. | L. |
| R.A.F.         | 8  | 7  | 1  |
| 7th R.A.       | 8  | 1  | 7  |
| International  | 7  | 2  | 5  |
| Signal         | 7  | 4  | 3  |
| 24th R.A.      | 8  | 3  | 5  |
| 36th R.A.      | 8  | 4  | 4  |
| R.A.M.C.       | 8  | 4  | 4  |
| R.E.           | 7  | 2  | 5  |
| 12th R.A.      | 8  | 2  | 6  |
| 20th R.A.      | 7  | 2  | 5  |
| 35th R.A.      | 7  | 2  | 5  |
| R.A.S.C.       | 8  | 2  | 6  |
| Shell          | 8  | 0  | 8  |
| A.S.A.         | 7  | 0  | 7  |

## A.S.A. AGAIN LOSE

7th Hvy. Battery had an easy match against A.S.A., whom they defeated by 5 goals to 1 at Boundary Street. The Gunners were clearly the better team and, after a quiet first half, put on pressure to score four times and win very comfortably.

Barby, the Gunners' right-back, was the best player on view. Always on the alert, he gave the A.S.A. forwards very little scope. Doyle, in the half-back division, was outstanding for the way in which he kicked the ball. Not only did he confidently clear his lines but he fed his forwards with very accurate passes. Turner worked hard at left-half and the Gunners' half-back line was more than a match for A.S.A. McCadden, playing in an unaccustomed position, gave a good display and was responsible for four of his team's goals.

The A.S.A. defence was all at sea and Fittinghoff in goal was well below form, and the backs miscalculated on many occasions. Petrov was the pick of the half-backs, and in the forward-line Souza gave a good account of himself.

## 12TH BTY. LEAD 2-0 BUT DRAW 4-4

At Chatham Road, 12th Bty. shared four goals with 26th Bty. after leading by two clear goals for most of the game.

Seabrook played his usual steady game in goal for the Battery, although there were occasions when he was inclined to fumble. Yearling and Ho San were not too steady as backs, the latter not clearing very strongly, and when playing into the wind both were inclined to kick high. Murray, the 12th Bty. custodian, was none too steady in his handling of the ball, but could not be blamed for the two shots which beat him. Gow was the best back on view. He tackled well and cleared strongly, although he may soon find himself being penalised for obstruction.

# EASTERN OUTPLAY NAVY: WIN 3-1

Losers Well Below Usual Form



Chang Kuo-hoi, who is still on the injured list, was a notable absentee from Eastern's attack against Navy yesterday.

## M'SEX EXTENDED BY CLUB

PLAYING WELL BELOW USUAL FORM, MIDDLESEX OBTAINED A NARROW VICTORY OVER CLUB BY THE OLD GOAL THREE SCORES. CLUB DREW FIRST BLOOD EARLY IN THE SECOND HALF, ONLY FOR THE SOLDIERS TO RETALIATE AND TAKE THE LEAD WITHIN A MATTER OF MINUTES.

Though there were many bright patches, the game as a whole did not produce good football. Both teams were ragged and erratic. Movements lacked crispness, passes went astray, and both forward lines left many chances.

Sheehan worked hard, getting in one or two, very good attempts at goal, but he is definitely out of position in the centre berth. He failed to produce that little bit extra and so saw many good movements fizzle out. In the second half they got going with much more "snap" and were conspicuous in mid-field. They fed their wings well.

## Lack Finish

Pearson and Tait, his inside men, were late settling down. With Sheehan they were dangerous on a number of occasions, but failed to produce that little bit extra and so saw many good movements fizzle out. In the second half they got going with much more "snap" and were conspicuous in mid-field. They fed their wings well.

The "Diards" centre-forward was robbed of much of its erstwhile punch by the good defensive play of S. Strange and Gratton, while Odell played a storming game in goal. He was safe at all times, and cleared in fine form the many dangerous centres from the "Mid" and "Diards".

Skinner and E. Strange experienced a trying time dealing with Coomer and Marable. The Regiment's right winger was particularly dangerous, and was unlucky to have several slinging shots smash against the upright, or hit the side of the net. Marable was thrushful and thoroughly deserved his goal. Had the inside forwards been able to make full use of the many well-placed centres sent across by the two wingers the issue would never have been in doubt.

## Wingers Off Form

Scott and Bickford were prominent in mid-field, and placed their passes most accurately, but the opposing numbers. Club's wingers had an off-day, however, and the inside men saw their work come to naught. Rieresen and Fowler being invariably robbed and the ball cleared well upfield by the strong-kicking Freshwater and Perkins.

Fowler, who had few opportunities on the right wing and did little with what he had, changed positions with Hopkinson at the interval, and showed up better in the centre berth. Bright, however, soon got the measure of his play, and the Club men were not allowed to worry Jackson unduly.

After a goalless first half, in which they were kept well within their own territory, Club rallied to take the lead with a goal by Fowler early in the second period. Within a matter of minutes Tait led in from a centre by Marable and immediately after Pearson clinched the issue.

MIDDLESEX-Jackson: Freshwater, Parker; Thomas, Bright, Wilkinson; Coomer, Pearson, Sheehan, Tait and Marable.

CLUB-Odell; S. Strange, Gratton; Skinner, Forrow, E. Strange; Fowler, Scott, Hopkinson, Bickford and Rieresen.

## Kowloon Falter In Last 15 Minutes

On their own ground, Kowloon lost to Sing Tao by four goals to nil after being one down at half-time. The Chinese turned out a very weak team and at one time looked in danger of losing, but towards the end Kowloon slackened off and quickly conceded three goals.

## Jennings Off The Mark

In a listless encounter at Sooyung, Middlesex scored an easy victory over Club by 5 goals to 1. Territorially, Middlesex were superior, and it was only bad finishing by the forward line that kept the score from being more than 5-0. Jennings failed to strike the form into which he had slipped, but he was right off shooting form. For the most part, Lodge held him in a check, and the Regiment's centre found himself with little room to manoeuvre in.

The Diards were well served by Thomas, on the left-wing, but on the other flank Matthews was unable to make his presence felt. Club's attack failed to function by reason of the fact that their young wingers were held in a vice-like grip by Dawes and Whitehouse. Haynes, on the right, was a plucky little trier, and was beaten only by the greater experience of his opposite number.

## INTERNATIONAL CHECKED

In a keenly-contested match at Chatham Road, International shared four goals with 24th Bty. after being one down at the interval.

Marques and D'Almeida were two strong-kicking backs, although the former never really had the measure of Grief. Rumbold was not outstanding, keeping a very poor watch on Owens, whilst Wilkinson and Rocha were very speedy. Outstanding player in the forward line, and chief schemer, was Rody, who netted a great goal which gave Minshall no chance. Both wingers were fast.

The Battery team were much the better side, but Shell fought back gamely until the final whistle.

The Gunners' back division easily held the Shell forwards and were able to give their own attack easy well-placed passes that laid open the way to goal, but bad finishing within the danger zone allowed many chances to go astray. Shell defenders, notably Lam Wing and Chang Sui-chung, got through a busy afternoon with

## POINTS FOR 36TH

36th R.A. had little difficulty in beating Shell by two clear goals at Happy Valley.

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honours, and the two goals they conceded were in no way a reflection on their ability.

Wong Kit-hing, Gunners' right wing, worked hard, feeding his wing to advantage, and Todd, in the left-back position, kicked and tackled strongly. In the Battery attack James was a schemer, giving the opposition many anxious moments.

# R.A.F. GIVEN FRIGHT

R.A.M.C. ENTERTAINED R.A.F. AT HAPPY VALLEY AND THE AIR FORCE CAME VERY NEAR TO LOSING THEIR UNBEATEN RECORD. BOTH SIDES SCORED FOUR GOALS. AFTER SHARING SIX GOALS AT THE INTERVAL, BUT HAD THE MEDICALS HAD THE SLIGHTEST BIT OF LUCK THEY WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY HAVE GAINED A WELL-EARNED VICTORY.

Edmunds, right-back, gave a sterling performance and was about the only player in the defence who could cope with the medicals' forward line. In the intermediate-line Berry had a worrying time with Webb, the centre-forward. The rest of the halves were well below the standard one would expect from the League leaders. Bartlett was the only player who proved dangerous to the R.A.M.C. defence.

Bennett gave a fine performance between the sticks for the Medicals, and he was well covered by Loynes and Entwistle—a very reliable pair of backs. The defence was the mainstay of the side, and each player gave a good account of himself. Webb proved his worth in the centre and his passing and distribution of the ball was excellent.

## SERVICE CORPS DESERVE POINTS

At the Valley, R.A.S.C. beat 35th Battery by two clear goals. Service Corps deserved their victory as they played the more aggressive football and were quicker on the ball.

Weir, at inside-left, made a big difference to the Corps' forward line, his passing and clever footwork often having the Battery guessing. Moore returned to goal in place of Field and gave a much improved performance. Reid was the pick of the intermediate-line and throughout the game he gave Freer very few opportunities to get near goal.

For the Battery team, Brown was hurt at left-back, most of his time being spent in checking Hart, who gave him a very worrying time. The right-wing pair Halpin and Downes, had very little chance to become very dangerous, being well held by Theaker and Simmons.

Manning played a fine game in goal for the Police and was largely responsible for the narrowness of Kwong Wah's victory. Hogarth

## K. WAH DESERVE POINTS

Kwong Wah gained a well-deserved victory at Boundary Street when they defeated Police by 3 goals to 2 after being 1-all at the interval.

Kwong Wah's superiority was very obvious throughout, despite the narrow margin of victory. Young Tse-tong was outstanding in the Kwong Wah defence. His kicking and tackling were always of the highest order. Wong Wah-gay gave a good account of himself in goal, and Cheung Wing was the best half-back on view.

The left-wing combination of Tin Yung-fat and 'Young' Poon-hon was a constant source of trouble to the Police defence, and Lee Yung-bing gave a good display in the centre, although he was inclined to hang a little too far back.

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# LULL ON GREEK FRONTS

Italian Coastal Offensive Not Developed



The Thompson sub-machine gun, popularly known as the "Tommy Gun" has recently been supplied to units of the British Army in large quantities. Mr. Churchill is shown above examining the latest-type weapon during a visit to North-East Coast defences. (Copyright H. Fox.)

## ITALIANS TRY TO BOMB LANDING ARMY

THE FIRST DETAILS OF THE LANDING OF A BRITISH EXPEDITIONARY FORCE ON THE GREEK ISLAND OF CRETE WERE RECEIVED IN LONDON YESTERDAY FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT WITH OUR FORCES THERE.

The troops, he says, embarked at a Mediterranean port on British warships with guns and mechanised vehicles in the closest secrecy.

The men were in high spirits though they had to remain hidden behind decks while the warships steamed at full speed in the darkness with gun crews constantly at action, and no lights showing.

With Italy's invasion of Greece, Crete became of vital strategic importance to Italy on the one hand and to Britain and Greece on the other.

Apart from the fact that Crete is the last of the Italian but not the British, Italy had an equal chance of taking possession of the island but once again the Italian navy hesitated to face the British Navy, so the Italians lost an invaluable opportunity to place their forces at the head of the island trade route between Greece and Egypt and thus impede British naval operations and threaten British supplies of war material to Greece.

### Allied Gibraltar

Thanks to Britain's immediate response to Greece's request, Crete has become an Allied Gibraltar in the eastern Mediterranean, lengthening the arm of the British Navy and adding a further nail to the coffin of the Doomed Italian Islands which are now completely cut off.—Reuter.

### Two Slightly Wounded

Reuter's correspondent says that as our troops were disembarking enemy bombers and fighters swept over the harbour and were driven off by the warship's A.A. fire, their bombs dropping harmlessly near the quayside. Only two soldiers were slightly wounded.

When the raid was over the people of Crete flocked out of their shelters and cheered our troops.—Reuter.

### GERMAN PILOT CANDID

A warning to the German public of difficulties ahead was contained in a German pilot's account of a raid over London given on the official German radio yesterday morning.

The pilot described how his machine-up refused to work and admitted that he was surprised by British night fighters but managed to avoid them.—Reuter.

### BIRTH

JONES.—On 9th November, 1940, at Queen Mary Hospital, to Mary, wife of H. S. Jones, a son.

### HAMBURG AND BERLIN EVACUATIONS

Several hundred thousand children have been evacuated from Berlin and Hamburg, said the official in charge of German evacuation in Berlin yesterday.—Reuter.

### ANGLO-TURKISH STAFF TALKS

Major-General Arthur Smith, Chief of Staff of the Middle East Command, left Ankara for Cairo yesterday after a ten-day visit to Turkey, during which he had informal talks with the Turkish General Staff regarding the Italian attack on Greece.—Reuter.

## Slight Greek Advance in Pindus Mts.

YESTERDAY, THE thirteenth day of the Italian attack on Greece, saw no major developments in the war situation on the Greek frontier; the Greeks have advanced in the centre, there is no change in the north sector of the front and on the coast the main Italian attack has not yet developed.

Yesterday's Italian High Command communicate claims that their troops have reinforced their bridgeheads on the south bank of the Kalamas River.

In Athens, the Greek military spokesman commented on the Italians' complete lack of success, declaring: "On the Pindus front we are counting the booty after encircling the enemy."

The Italian column which has been encircled is believed to be still holding out but it is certain that some of them have surrendered. The Italian force was carrying out an isolated operation of the nature of a raid or a scouting expedition. The Greeks yesterday took 150 prisoners, including five officers, five howitzers, seven machine-guns and other stores in attacks at different points in local operations.

### Kalamas River Denial

The Italian air force has slackened off and their activity was described in Athens as "unimportant." One Italian plane has been shot down from the ground. The Greeks are putting up a stubborn resistance and while they admit their withdrawal from the Kalamas River, they deny they have been pushed back 23 miles inside the frontier, as the Italians claim.

### Morale High

Correspondents report that Greek morale is at the highest pitch and the Greeks have been

encouraged by the presence of British forces.

British planes chased Italian bombers away from Athens, the enemy raiders dropping their bombs into the sea, and the R.A.F. is continuing reconnaissance over Albania and the Ionian and Aegean Seas.—Reuter.

### Pause in Operations

A Greek-communicé says artillery fire was not heavy yesterday, while Italian activity was also small.

One village was bombed. The Ministry of Public Safety in Athens stated that the Italians made no air raids on the interior of the country, during Friday.

Meanwhile, in the opinion of military circles in London, the Italian attack has not yet developed in the coastal area.

### Slight Advance

A commentator in London yesterday pointed out that there was no change in the northern sector while the Greeks have advanced slightly in the Pindus sector.

It is reported they are within 10 kilometres of the frontier. Italian troops in this region are understood to be still surrounded in the neighbourhood of Dystaron.

From authoritative quarters it is learned that there is no truth in reports that various bodies of British troops have been seen in Athens.—Reuter.

### Italian Prisoners

A report from Athens received in London stated that the Italian troops surrounded on the Pindus front belong to the Venezia Brigade and comprise two regiments of infantry and one of mountain artillery.

Italian prisoners who arrived in Salonika yesterday included 31 Alpine troops who formerly served on the French front. Their Greek guards stated that when the Italians were taken prisoner they offered all their money for food.—Reuter.

### VON PAPEN TOLD TO GO BACK

It was learned in Istanbul yesterday that Franz von Papen, Nazi Ambassador to Turkey, is shortly returning by special plane from Berlin where he was summoned ten days ago following the Italian invasion of Greece.—Reuter.

## YUGOSLAVIA'S TRIPLE DEMARCHE

The Yugoslav Government yesterday made demarches in Athens, Rome and London hoping that steps would be taken to avoid a repetition of incidents such as the recent bombing of Monastir and reserving the right to claim indemnity for injuries and damage due to bombing on the basis of the results of the enquiry into the incident.—Reuter.

## Curious Hitler Phrases

Great satisfaction is expressed in London that the speech by Hitler to the Nazis in the Munich beer cellar was unable to be relayed over the wireless to his own German subjects because of R.A.F. activities over German territory.

From the short summary the speech seems on familiar lines including the complaint that the wicked British are attacking the defenceless German civil population while the German air force are only dropping bombs on military objectives.

Press comment suggests the German people have yet to realise that the Nazi leaders' idea of military objectives is so wide that it includes churches, hospitals, royal palaces and schools while the "defenceless German civil population" must be assumed to include Krupp's great armament works at Essen, so heavily bombed by the R.A.F. on Thursday night.

Expert opinion which has studied the inner meaning of Hitler's earlier speeches from the psychological aspect is stated to be interested in two particular declarations made last night.

### Odd Statements

Hitler claimed the German people were firmly confident in its leadership, a statement which it should have been unnecessary to make unless it seemed to Hitler that some doubts were being shown on the subject among his people.

Also Hitler is reported as having made a strange statement "I have never sought vice and bravado."

Again his well-known habit of making positive denials of implied criticisms without a hint of such criticisms taking place suggests he feels the need to continually convince his docile subjects of the gentleness of the Nazi methods and the respectability of Nazi party members.—British Wireless.

## Hitler's Atlantic Flourish To Alarm Opinion

A SERIES OF BOASTFUL claims from Berlin regarding Germany's alleged heavy sinkings of British ships in recent weeks is circulating in American newspapers which generally attach great importance to the current Nazi drive against British sea commerce.

The well-known columnist of the "New York Times," Miss Anne McCormick, stated yesterday: "It would be surprising if the activity of Nazi raiders in the North Atlantic were not timed to scare us out of changing the Neutrality Act."

On the other hand, Walter Lippmann, in the "Herald-Tribune," pays a tribute to British sea power which "is driving Germany, Italy, Russia and France apart and is making the new European order unworkable."

Lippmann adds: "If sea power remains invincible it will do to Hitler what it did to Napoleon, namely, transform his allies into his enemies."

A "New York Times" editorial says the peril to Britain's seaborne trade arises from the need for concentrating her navy in the Mediterranean and home waters and to the weakness of destroyer strength.

### Hitler's Success

Reuter's naval correspondent writes: "It would appear from the foregoing that Hitler is having some success in alarming public opinion in the United States in such a way as to assist his Italian accomplice in the latter's assault on Greece."

"The British Mediterranean Fleet, as is well known, has been lately powerfully reinforced. It dominates the strategic situation both in Egypt and Greece."

"Hitler could do Mussolini no greater service at this moment than by staging a naval demonstration in the Atlantic to frighten Anglo-American opinion into de-

manding the diversion of some of the British naval power away from the most important area of hostilities into a campaign of raiding hunting and U-boat chasing in northern waters far removed from the theatre where the Axis attempt to cut the British lifeline.—Reuter.

### HEAVY ITALIAN REVENGE RAIDS

Since the British capture of Calicut, on the Sudan-Abyssinia frontier, the Italians have been heavily and continuously bombing the town.

Meanwhile in the Assala sector the British have taken prisoner one Italian officer and 35 other ranks, and have captured arms and stores with very little loss to ourselves.—Reuter.

### CANADA TO BUILD FREIGHTERS?

The Canadian Minister of Transport stated in Ottawa yesterday that the British mission sent to Canada to study the possibility of Canadian yards building cargo ships had called terms to London and was awaiting a reply.—Reuter.

## JAPANESE OFFER

THE SUM OF \$405,000 HAS BEEN OFFERED AS COMPENSATION TO THE OWNERS OF FIVE PORTUGUESE-REGISTERED COASTAL STEAMERS WHICH WERE SEIZED BY THE JAPANESE NAVAL AUTHORITY SOME TIME LAST YEAR, STATED THE "SHUN PAO" IN SHANGHAI YESTERDAY.

The steamers are now run by the Japanese-sponsored "Central China Company."

Members of the crew have been replaced by men captured by this new Japanese shipping firm.—Reuter.

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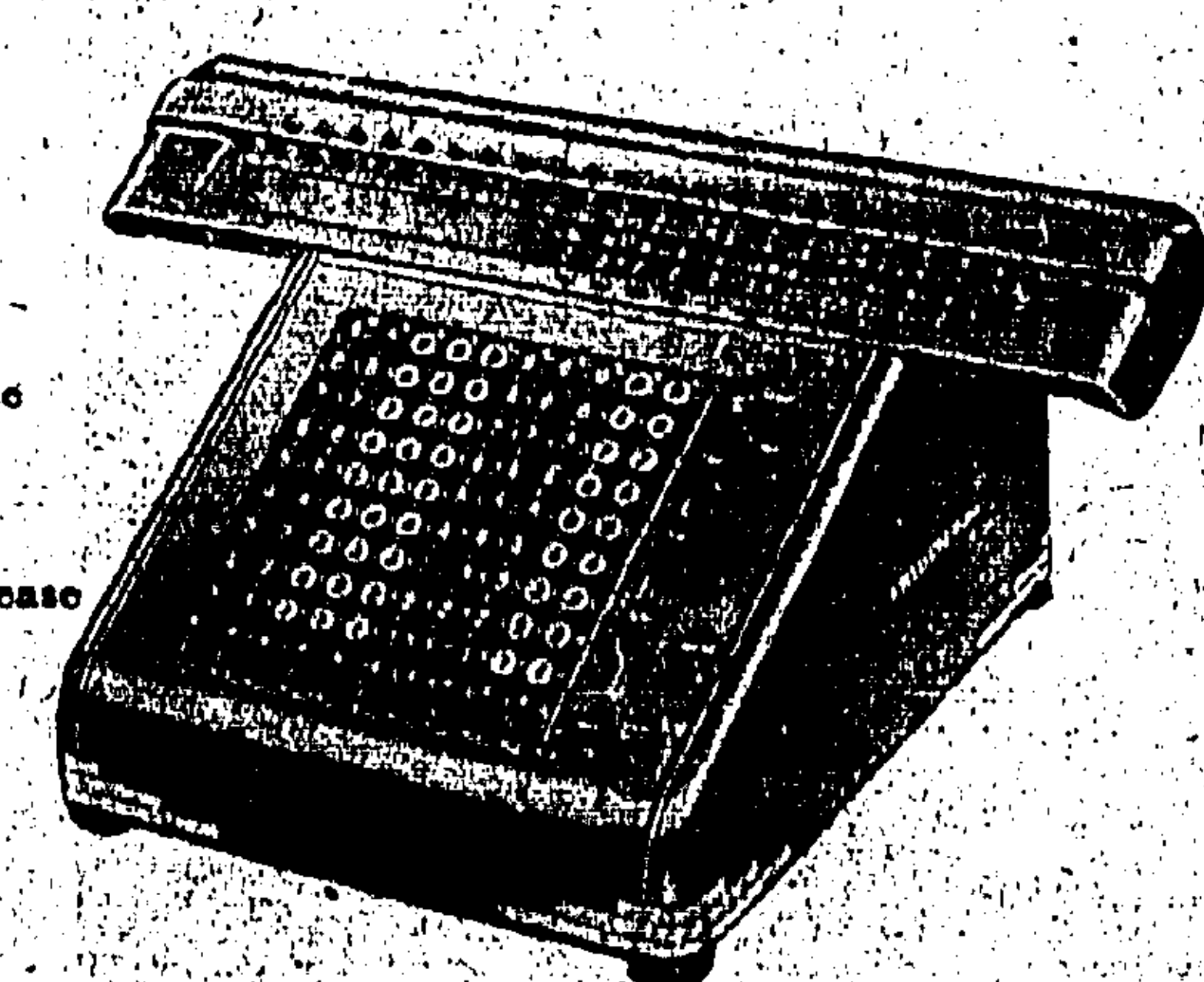
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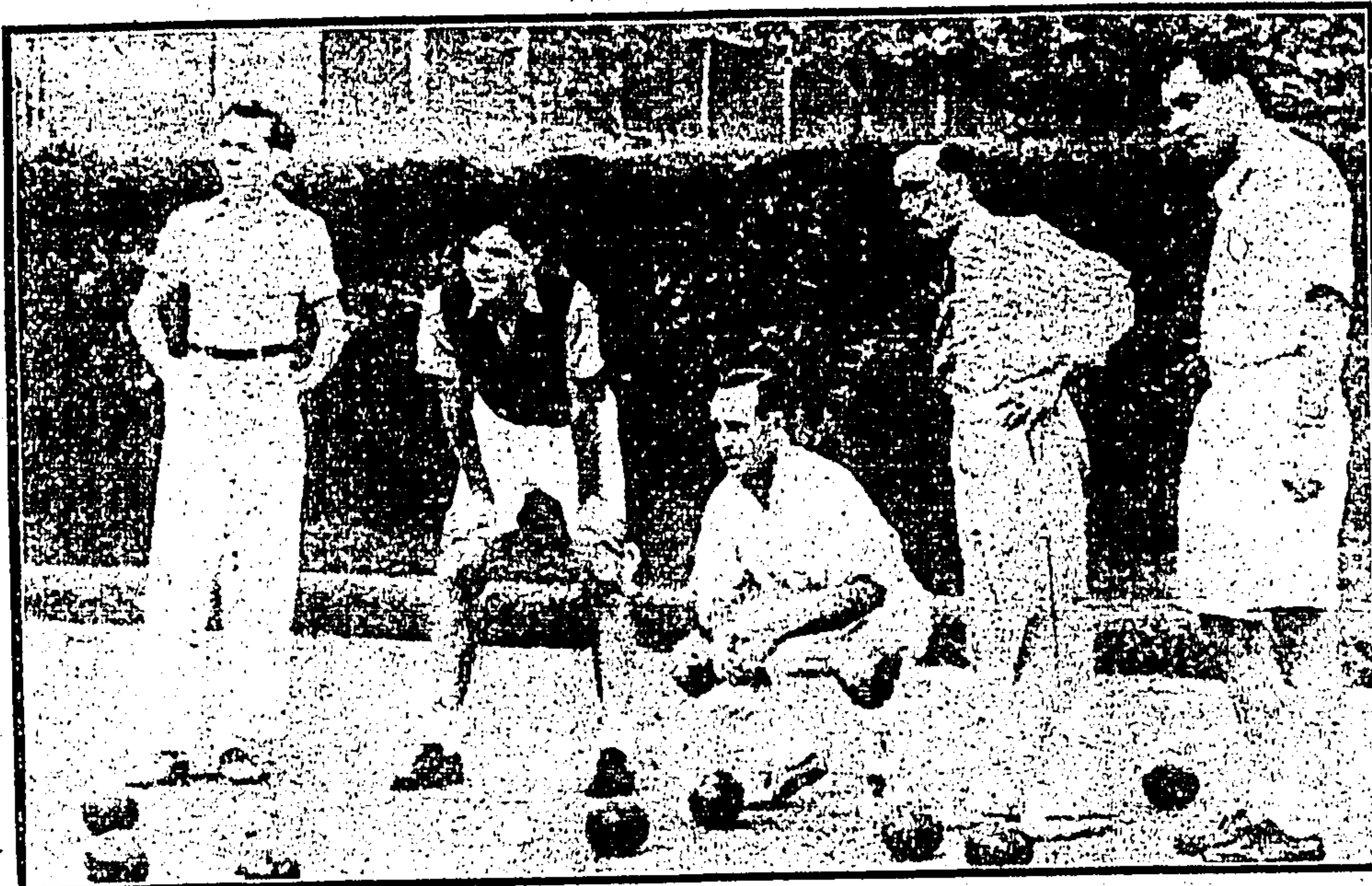
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Capt. F. Filppance, O.C. A.S.C. Coy. shaking hands with Capt. H. A. de B. Botelho, O.C. No. 5 Coy. after their match in "The China Mail" Challenge Cup series.



Studies in concentration. T. Lockhart, G. Stone, B. I. Bickford, E. R. Clemow and P. Morrison watch the progress of a wood in the match between the two First Battery teams.



Crossing over during the match between Third Battery and 6th. Company "A", which the latter won, by 26-12. Left to right H. A. Alves, A. M. Wahab, J. Ribeiro, R. S. Capell and A. W. Wahab.

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Two First Battery Skips—L. Jack (left) and Capt. J. Watson, whose team won despite valliant efforts by Jack to save the day.



F. V. V. Ribeiro and W. L. Walker, the skips in the match between Third Battery and 6th. Company "A".

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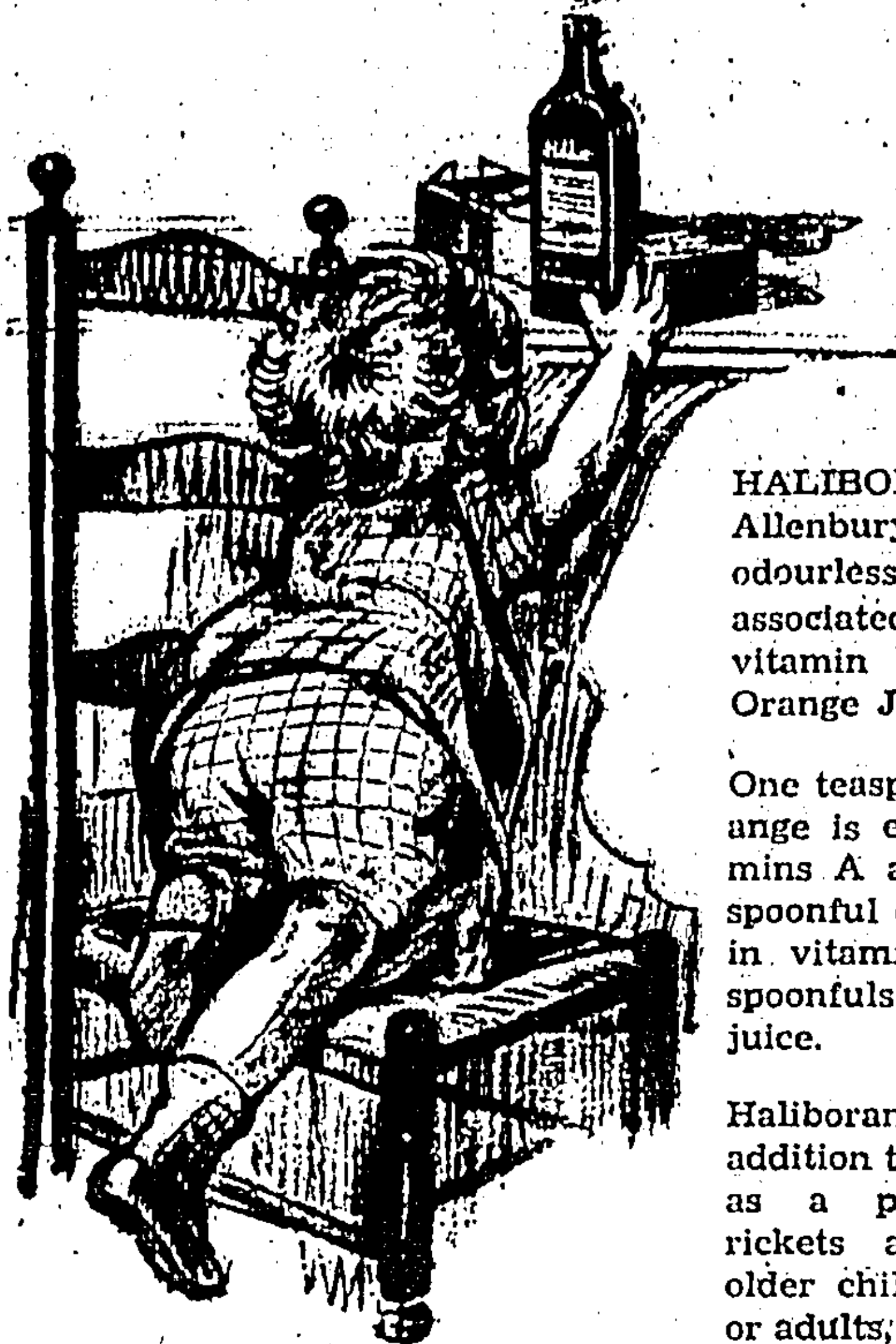


Although the weather was most unpromising and at one time it appeared impossible that any matches could be played, good progress was made in the Volunteer Lawn Bowls Competition for "The China Mail" Challenge Cup on Sunday last.

Biggest surprise of the day was the defeat of 5th. Coy. "A" by A. S. C. "A" after a close match.



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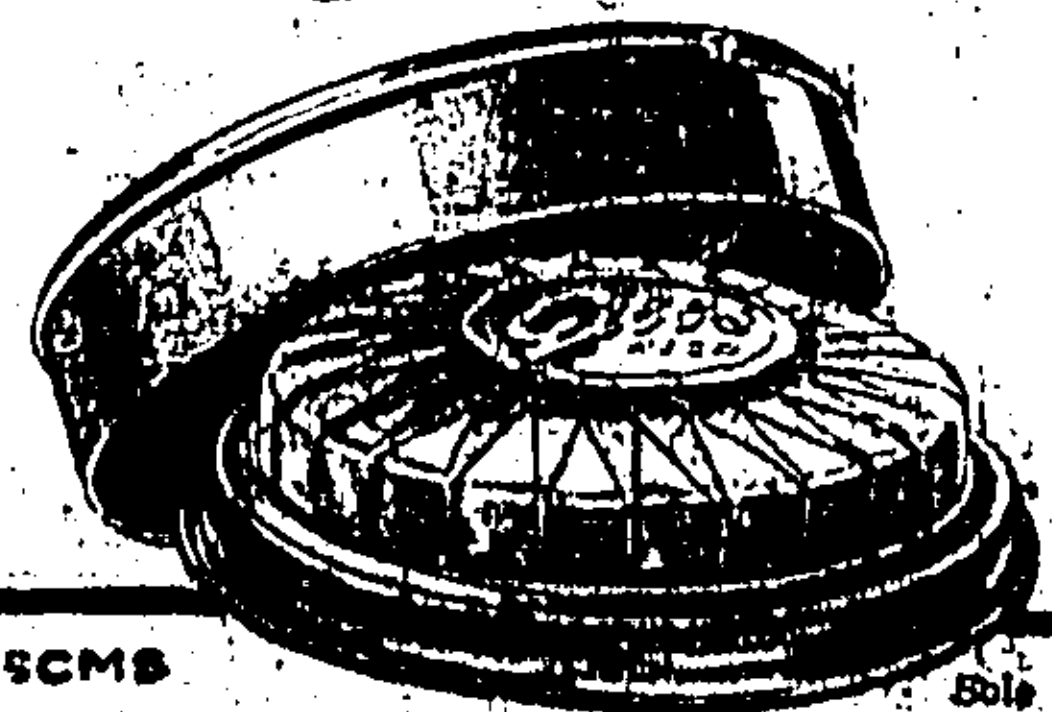
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A BEDTIME STORY FOR CHILDREN:—

# Buster's Rocking Chair

By  
Howard R. Garis



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Give me the rocking chair!

"Wanting us to play ball. And you know we can't run right after we have had chickenpox."

"No, I won't ask you to play ball," promised Buster.

"Then you'll want us to play tag or some other running game," said Jangle. "And after the chickenpox I could if I run."

"No, we won't play any running games at all," said Buster.

"What will we play, then?" asked Jingle.

ONCE upon a time Buster, who was one of Uncle Wiggly's little rabbit boys, was left in the hollow stump bungalow to look after his two sisters, Jingle and Jangle.

The reason Buster had to look after Jingle and Jangle was that all three were just getting over the chickenpox sickness and so they couldn't go on a picnic with Uncle Wiggly and the other rabbits.

"Oh, dear!" cried Jingle, when told she couldn't go.

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"It sure is too bad!" said Buster, when told he couldn't go. "But I'll try to make some fun for Jingle and Jangle. Why can't we go to the picnic?"

"Because," explained his mother, "you are not quite well enough, you three. And, besides, until you are quite over the chickenpox, you might give it to some one else. And that would not be fair, you know."

## An Easy Game

"Oh, no indeed!" agreed Buster. "But I'll make some fun for Jingle and Jangle."

"Oh, yes. We know the kind of fun you'll make," said Jingle.

ELY CULBERTSON ON:—

## CONTRACT BRIDGE

"Dear Mr. Culbertson: I am enclosing a hand which I think you might like, one in which I made a very unusual throw-in play.

"North, dealer.

"Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH

S-9 7 4 3

H-K 8 7

D-J 8 5

C-J 3 2

WEST

S-Q 2

H-4 3

D-A 10 9 7 6 2

C-9 8 7

EAST

S-A K J 8 6 5

H-6 2

D-K

C-K 10 6 5

SOUTH

S-10

H-A Q J 10 9 5

D-Q 4 3

A-Q 4

"The bidding:

North East South West  
Pass 1 spade 2 hearts 3 dia'ds  
Pass 2 spades 4 hearts Pass  
Pass Pass

"I won't claim that the bidding was very good. It happened in a 'social game' and there was nothing at stake. The play, however, was very interesting.

"West led the spade queen. It is worth noting that if East had over-taken and cashed the diamond king there would have been no play for the contract. East, however, encouraged with the spade eight and West continued with the deuce. This marked West with only two spades originally and East with six. I ruffed the second lead with the nine of hearts, overtook the heart five with dummy's seven, ruffed a third round of spades, overtook the heart ten with dummy's king, and ruffed the last spade. I saw that the only chance to make the hand was for East to have the ace or king of diamonds singleton, and, therefore, I led a small diamond. West played the nine but I ducked in dummy and, to my great pleasure, East had to win with the king. His return was immaterial. If he had chosen to lead a spade, I could have chucked my club four while ruffing in dummy, then taken the club finesse, after which I would have had to concede only one diamond trick. On East's actual choice of a low club, I won in dummy with the jack, finessed again on a return club lead, and conceded only one more diamond. As you will see, I lose in all only one spade trick and two diamonds. J.B., Alabama."

Somebody always is stealing my thunder when I want to comment on questionable bidding. The mere fact that my correspondent said, "I won't claim that the bidding was very good," deprives me of the legitimate joy of mentioning that he did considerable bidding all by himself.

While declarer's play was excellent and took full advantage of a fortunate lay of cards, this is just one more of those instances in which most of the "credit" for the fulfilled contract must be given to the defenders. I do not maintain that East could have foreseen the situation that eventually developed, but I do say that there was no excuse for his failure to overtake the opening lead and lay down the

diamond king. For all he could tell, the spade queen might be singleton, in which case the overtake play would certainly work out to the best advantage, inasmuch as West could not be expected to underlead his probable diamond ace at the second trick. There would be no danger of the overtake play setting up the spade nine, since East always could keep his J-8 over the 9-7, if he felt so inclined.

To return to declarer's play: His analysis that success depended entirely on finding a singleton diamond king or ace in the East hand was quite correct. Also, in view of the bidding, this was by no means a remote chance, considering that West, who had bid three diamonds, evidently did not hold both the ace and king, since he probably would have opened the suit originally.

ed Jingle. "You two girls can sit in chairs and I'll read stories to you," Buster said.

"Oh, that will be lovely," said Jingle and Jangle.

"I'll get the story book," offered Buster, when all the other rabbits had gone to the picnic. "You girls get your chairs."

"All right," said Jingle and Jangle.

Buster found a chair for himself and was looking through the book to find a good story to read when he heard Jingle and Jangle doing just like their names. They were jingling and jangling. They were quarreling.

## Peacemaker

"I saw it first! I'm going to take it!" cried Jingle.

"No, I saw it first and I'm sitting in it and I'm not going to get out! So there!" cried Jangle.

"Well, if you don't get out, I'll tip you out!" cried Jingle.

Then followed a loud thump on the floor of the next room to where Buster was sitting with the story book. And after the thump Jangle began to cry and she said:

"Now look what you did! You upset me out of my rocking chair!"

"Your rocking chair? You mean my rocking chair!" yelled Jingle. "Of course I tipped you out of it! Now I'm going to rock."

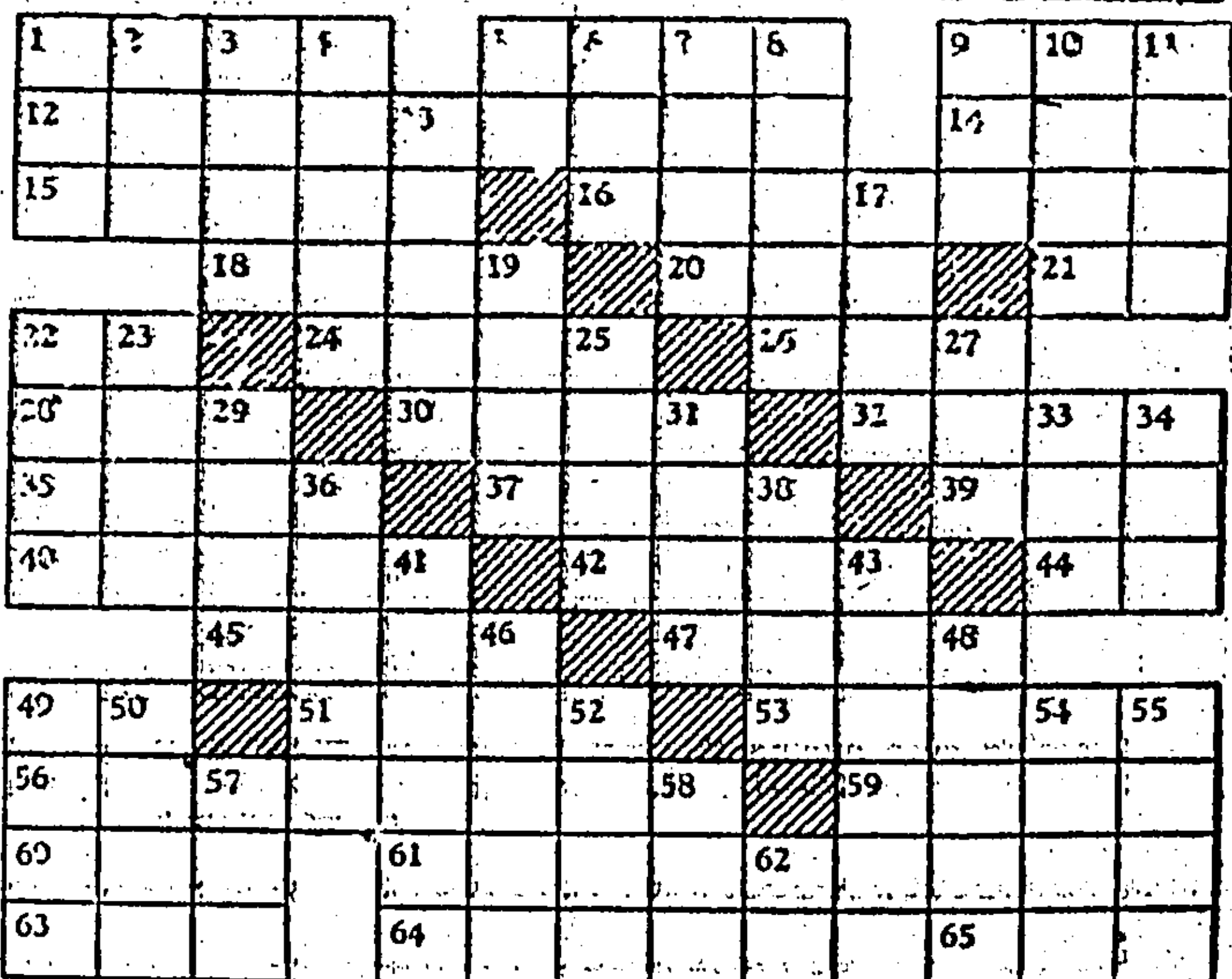
Buster ran into the next room. He saw Jangle sitting on the floor crying. Swinging in the rocking chair was Jingle.

"Oh, dear! Make her give me the rocking chair!" cried Jangle. "I always like to rock when I listen to stories! I'm going to have that chair. There's only one and it's mine!"

"I'm going to keep this chair!" shouted Jingle. The two little rabbit girls quarreled most dreadfully. Poor Buster didn't know what to do until, all of a sudden he said: "Quiet, please! I will make another rocking chair!"

And if the baseball doesn't forget to come back after the bat knocks it high up in the air, I'll tell you about Buster's barrel.

## SUNDAY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



### HORIZONTAL

1 Moccasins

5 Prefix: against

9 Cry of growl

12 Style of performance

14 Southern constellation

15 Amorphous substance obtained from plants

16 King of Israel

18 Drunkards

20 Sailor

21 You and I

22 Exclamation of incredulity

24 African river

26 Existed

28 Poisonous snake

30 Auroral

32 Protuberance

35 List of names

37 To enfold

39 To speak with a guttural articulation

40 Short treatise

42 Ill-gotten gains

44 Note of scale

46 Pronoun

47 Kind

49 Symbol for selenium

### VERTICAL

1 By

2 Chopping tool

3 Luck

4 Descendant

5 Preposition

6 Teutonic water-sprite

7 To sound

8 Relative by marriage

9 Rotating part

10 Poetic: in a line

11 To diminish

13 To unfasten

17 Aloud

19 Sluggish

22 Male deer

23 Ancient musical instrument

25 Nobleman

27 Convulsive breath

29 Ancient Egyptian divinity

31 Principal chamber of a temple

33 However

34 Silkworm

36 Harsh

38 Pond

41 Applies remedies to

43 Hobo

46 Duelling sword

48 To educate

49 Agile

50 Great Lake

52 Flat piece of ground

54 Ireland

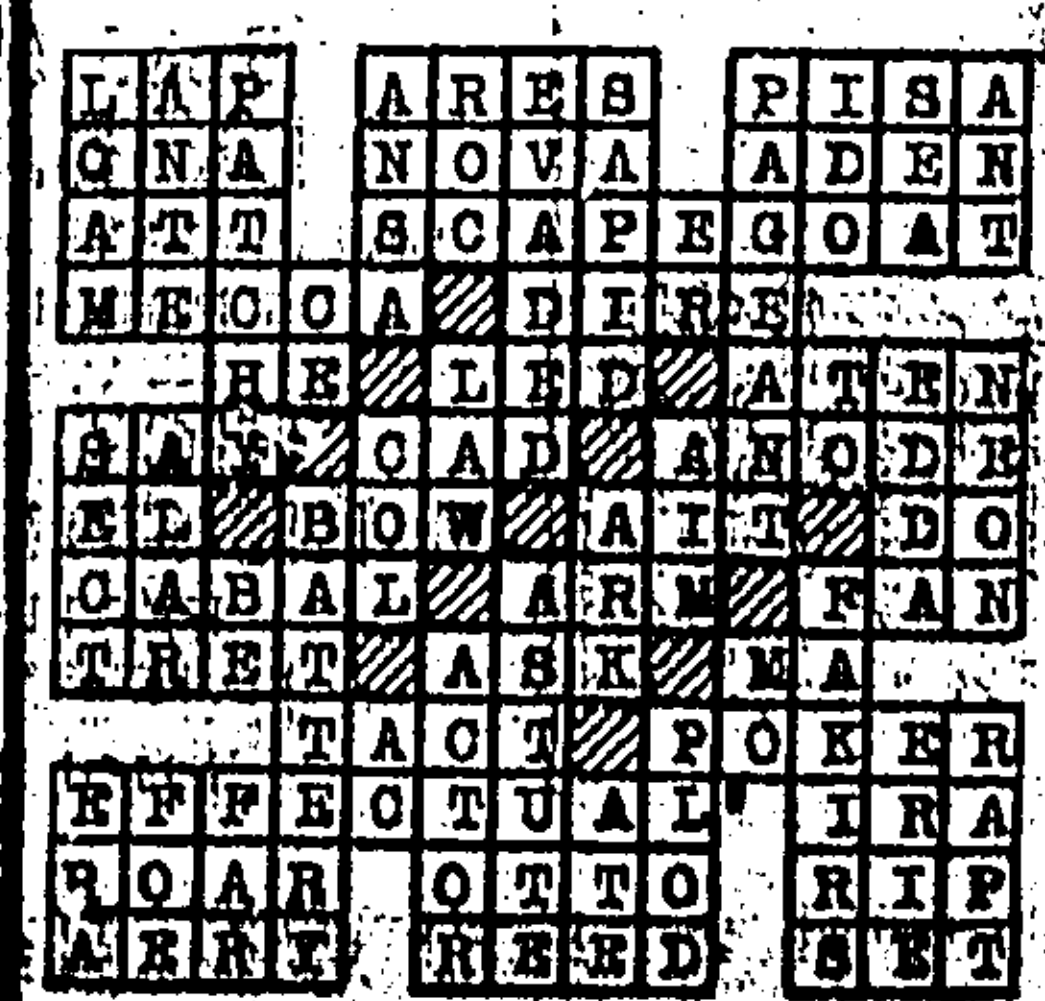
55 Dirk

57 Room in a harem

58 Girl's name

62 Symbol for selenium

### LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION







An amusing combination of mo'ra and straw is the theme of Rita Johnson's black bonnet-type hat, featuring an open crown. Straw is used to scallop the edge of the wide, dipping brim, and the hat is worn a-top a simple black crepe dress, accented by a three-strand string of pearls. (M.G.M.)



A dainty collar and cuffs in white embroidered organdy are tacked on in an unusual manner and create an entirely different look to this basic black wool dress with long sleeves and a high neck worn by Ruth Hussey, M.G.M. actress. To change the scenery, add accessories of various kinds, and you have one dress which will play the role of several.

## Telephone Etiquette

1. Answer the telephone by saying "Miss Jones speaking," or "Credit Department speaking." This saves all the old-style "hello-hello" meaningless.
2. Speak moderately and clearly with the lips about half an inch from the mouthpiece.
3. If you are asked to call to the phone someone nearby, place your hand over the mouthpiece before you call out the name of the person.
4. Learn to transmit numbers accurately. Most often confused are five and nine, naught and four.
5. Don't use a monotone, but a rising inflection which sounds more agreeable and alert, and carries better. Be just a little brisk, without hurry.
6. Do not hesitate to ask a telephone caller to repeat or spell a name or an address. Repeat back to the caller to insure accuracy.
7. Never hang up unless you are certain that the conversation is completed.
8. If the caller agrees to wait, and the time is long, speak to the caller occasionally, regretting the delay.
9. If you do not hear what a caller is saying, break in promptly and say "I am sorry, will you please repeat what you said a trifle louder?"
10. Give your entire attention to the telephone when you are receiving or making a call. Do not try to do several things at once.—From *Standard Business Etiquette* by J. George Frederick.

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## Hollywood Fashion Pre-View

Stay in the social spotlight this Autumn. There's a bumper crop of autumn gowns and gadgets. Understudy your favourite stars to final letter-perfect outfits for all occasions.

**EDITH** Head of Paramount, one of the few women who have managed to survive as principal fashion designers in the major studios in Hollywood, prophesied at a recent interview that the new style trend is definitely away from anything military.

"I feel it is the duty of every woman to dress as gaily as she can within the bounds of good taste," pronounced Miss Head.

This designer predicts the return of reversible capes, with plaid and plain fabrics for daytime and with fur and plain fabrics for evening. Miss Head considers capes intensely feminine. She will continue also to use the lumber jackets she launched last season. One good example of this style in fur is the jacket she designed for Mary Martin in Paramount's *Love Thy Neighbour*. To emphasise the fashionable fragile silhouette, Miss Head recommends that such jackets be teamed with a slim skirt.

### Fur Trimmed

"I am not as interested in all-fur coats," said Miss Head, "as I am in fur used as trimming. I like detachable collars, tuxedo reverses for plain woollen coats, fur mittens, muffs, caps and pockets."

Watch for a fur sailor collar on a suit Joan Blondell wears in Paramount's *I Want a Divorce*.

For evening, Miss Head prefers a "covered-up" look, achieved with the use of voluminous scarves for drapery and head coverings. Evening gowns are especially formal in her collections, and dinner dresses follow her favourite shirtmaker line. However, this year see that your dinner dress glitters.

The daytime clothes of this designer are casual. Her skirts continue short with a slim line as well as with front fullness or pleats. Pockets, studs and cuff links, metal decorations of various types are plentiful. Miss Head still believes in the shirtwaist and skirt revival but would like to warn women that this style takes a good figure. Other announcements are the use of prints straight through the autumn and winter season, fringed-trimmed tunics and sashes with tassel ends.

Colours? The whole scale of South American and Mexican shades, such as terra cotta, dark green and yellow.

### Slim Silhouette

Stumping for her own fashion platform to gain the votes of women is Vera West, Universal designer. The slim straight silhouette with ease of skirtline by means of draping, pleats or the slightest of flares predominates in her collection. The side-draped neckline to compliment the side-saddle skirt is another of her in-

novations, Constance Moore introduces this for her role in Universal's *Argentine Nights*.

### Hats-Sane And Insane

There are two sides to this Hollywood hat situation: sane and insane. Out in front, though, is the pompadour hat, either version. Millo Anderson has created a new type of skull cap for Jane Wymann's pompadour. It mounts to a small peak, shows a little rolled cuff and is made of the same fabric as her dress. Olivia de Havilland, star of Warner Brothers' *My Love Came Back*, goes for postillions. Bette Davis, who likes to put on a hat and forget about it, prefers the simple pill box. She says she feels "caged" in a hat with a lot of veiling and flowers. But Anita Louise is credited with the most berserk hat to date: a small scoop bonnet in dark brown velvet with the sides flattened down against the ears like an old-fashioned motor-hat. A bright scarlet veil is tied over the crown and under the chin with a bow over one ear. They say it looks quaint.

### Private Wardrobes

Virginia Vale, appearing in RKO Radio's *Stage to China*, went on a flying shopping trip for guess what? Hats. She bought three.

The first is a profile affair, made of deep green felt, very pliable, with a huge brim that sweeps off the left side of her face, then dips down over her right eye. The crown is high, squared off, and the only trim is a large gold ring.

Virginia's next choice was a little hat to wear with a suit. This is black felt, tip-tilted over the eye with a group of shiny black feathers on top of the crown. The third hat was of velvet, also small with a high crown, tiny rolled brim and a filmy veil. Virginia, you see, is on the sane side of the hat question.

Lupe Velez, also millinery-minded these days, takes a plain black velvet skull cap and rings it around the entire edge with rhinestone clips of all sizes. She claps this on the very back of her head when wearing dinner clothes. This causes plenty of neck-twisting. Practical Ginger Rogers (see her in RKO Radio's *Lucky Partners*) settled the entire hat question by buying five "beanies," each a different colour.

### Career Clothes

Are you a working girl? Then Dolly Tree's wardrobe for Rita Johnson in M-G-M's *The Golden Fleece* is your dish.

"Too many girls," says Miss Tree, "believe that smartness in the business world means man-tailored suits and flat heels."

## Ersatz Cosmetics

To help Nazi women stay pretty although they lack an adequate supply of soap, creams and lotions, Beauty Expert Anna Charlotte Romer of the German Labour Front offers hints:

1. Ivy leaves are a good substitute for soap. Soap "deprives the body of fat," anyhow, and it is better to take a lot of soapless air baths.
2. Milk facial baths are not necessary. Rain and water and a wild chestnut brew can be substituted. Expert Romer's chestnut recipe: "Peel the chestnuts, dry and grind them, then boil them. Use the broth thus concocted. This is a great cleanser."
3. As for diet, women in search of beauty can always get needed vitamins from cabbage, carrots, parsley, and apples.—*Time*.



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Fans' Kentucky (Mr. Chiu Ki-fan up) won the first section of the Norfolk Handicap when it beat Advancing Time by 5 lengths. This was a race for novice riders. (Tong).



His Excellency Major-General A. E. Grasett (right) chatting with friends at the Valley. (Tong).



Kentucky winning the Time (Mr. H. Hong-p).



Hong Kong Rifle Association held a meeting at Kowloon City Ranges last Sunday morning, and the above photograph shows Naval Volunteer Company cleaning their rifles. Included in the group are Messrs. Carey (centre) and W. K. Corneek (right). (Tong).



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## THRIFT

How do the police disperse riots in Aberdeen? *By passing the hat.*

I was a MacTavish who sent his spats to the cobbler's to be soled and heeled.

It was a Scotchman who walked into a dairy and asked for a pound of butter wrapped into to-day's paper.

The story of the four Scotchmen who were drowned while swimming one afternoon: Each bet a shilling that he could stay under water the longest of the four, winner take all.

A Scotchman was told by his doctor that his wife should have had her tonsils taken out when she was a little girl. He had the operation performed — and sent the bill to his father-in-law.

A Scotchman discovered a previous customer's tip beside his plate in a restaurant. He summoned the waitress, "I found this beside my plate," he told her. "I'm a sportsman — I'll match ye for it."

Sandy stood hesitantly at the ticket window counting his change. "What's up, Scotty?" the ticket-agent inquired, "Isn't your change right?" "It's right," said Sandy complainingly, "but only just right."

A friend noticed Dugald riding along the street on a woman's bicycle. "How came ye by that?" he asked. "Well, it was like this," said Dugald. "I was walking out with Janet the other evening, and when we came to a darkish part of the moor she said, 'I love ye, Dugald; I love ye so much I'll give ye anything ye like.' So when I had thought it over a bit I took her bicycle."

The Scotch doctor lay dying. With almost his last breath he said to his wife: "When I'm to be buried I want a nameplate on my coffin." "Ye shall have it," she assured him. On the morning of the funeral the passersby noticed that the polished brass plate which had graced the doctor's doorpost was missing; and the graveside-mourners read through their tears, as they lowered the casket: ANGUS ABERNETHY, M.D. Office hours 9 to 11 A.M.

The idea for slow-motion pictures came to its inventor while watching two Scotchmen reaching for the lunch check.—Excerpts from "Scotch."



Major H. D. Walker (r)



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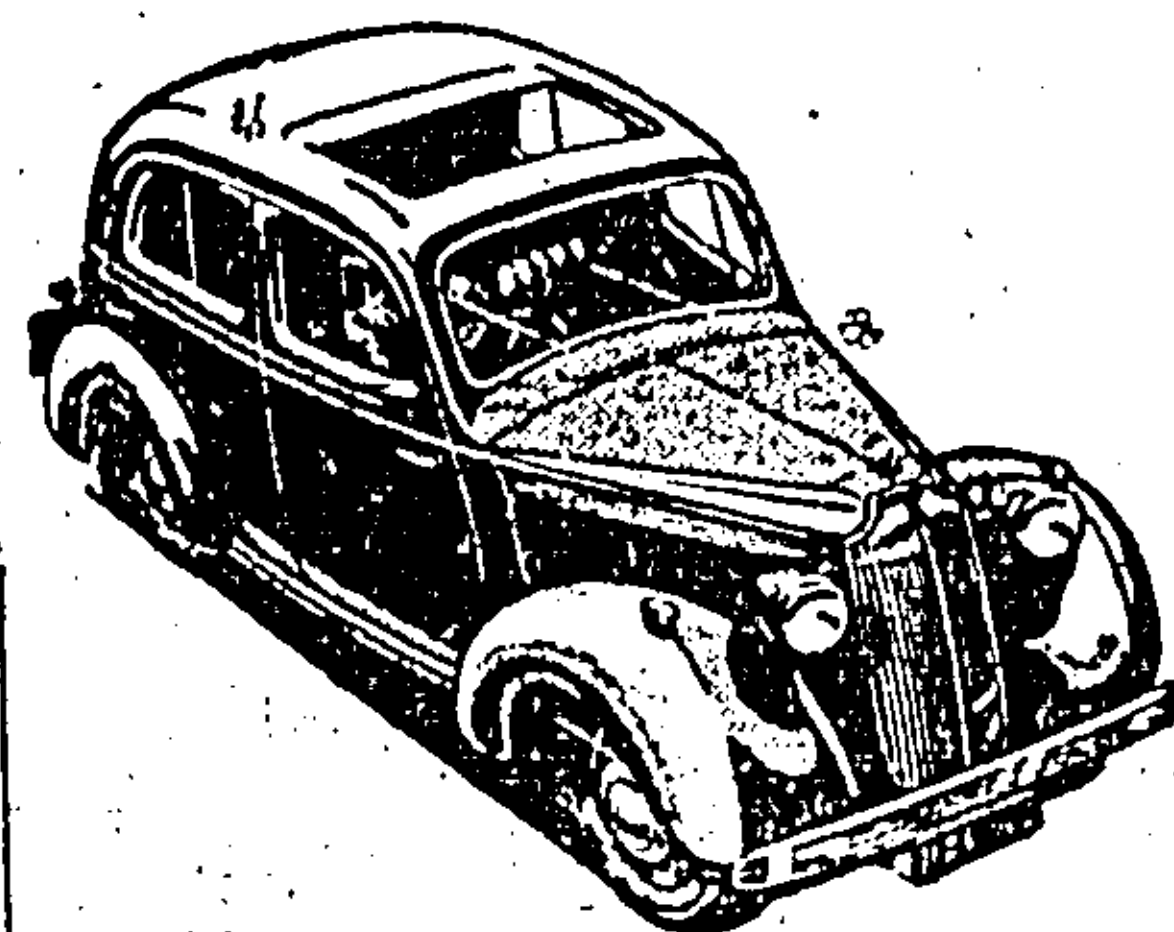
Mr. Ho Kom Tong and a friend snapped  
at the Valley last Saturday. (Tong).



Mr. Li Po Chun's Conquering Time (Mr.  
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first section of the Sussex Handicap on  
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## Meeting



Sgt. Major Stanford (left) and Sgt. Major Tierney (right), taking it easy during last  
Sunday's meeting of Hong Kong Rifle Associat'on. (Tong).

## PATTER

I'd marry if I was sure I wouldn't get used to it.  
— *Life*.

Big accident — Machine skidded and hit a lady in  
the safety zone. — *Amberst Lord Jeff*.

Lou Holtz's newest squelch is: "You stole my Austin  
— you pickpocket!" — *New York Mirror*.

He and his wife always think exactly alike, only  
she usually has first think. — *Washington Star*.

It's getting to be a wise child in Hollywood who  
knows his current step-father. — *Farm Journal*.

He says little on the golf links, but wherever he  
spits the grass never grows again. — *London Opinion*.

She has no doubt had many chances to get married,  
but I infer that she's not taking any chances. —  
*Pathfinder*.

Her parents displayed no great emotion at the wed-  
ding, but I imagine her father shed a few cheers. —  
*Boston Transcript*.

There are a lot of timid people who won't take an  
aeroplane trip until the law of gravity has been repealed.  
— *Christian Observer*.

An ingenious Englishman, asked how he served his  
gooseberries: "I always shave mine and serve them  
as grapes." — *Boston Transcript*.

Wives should remember, that the average man is  
like an egg. If you keep him in hot water, he soon  
becomes hardboiled. — *Canton Repository*.

Our new maid from New York speaks of the nursery  
as the "noisery," and I rather think that's the way it  
should be pronounced. — *Boston Transcript*.

The modern husband may find the safety-pin okay  
as a substitute for a button, but it is not so good for  
closing the hole in the toe of a sock. — *Cincinnati  
Enquirer*.

Things are reported to be bad in Hollywood, and  
many of the lesser lights of the film-world are out of  
work. Indeed some of them are making this year's  
divorce do till things are better. — *Punch (London)*.

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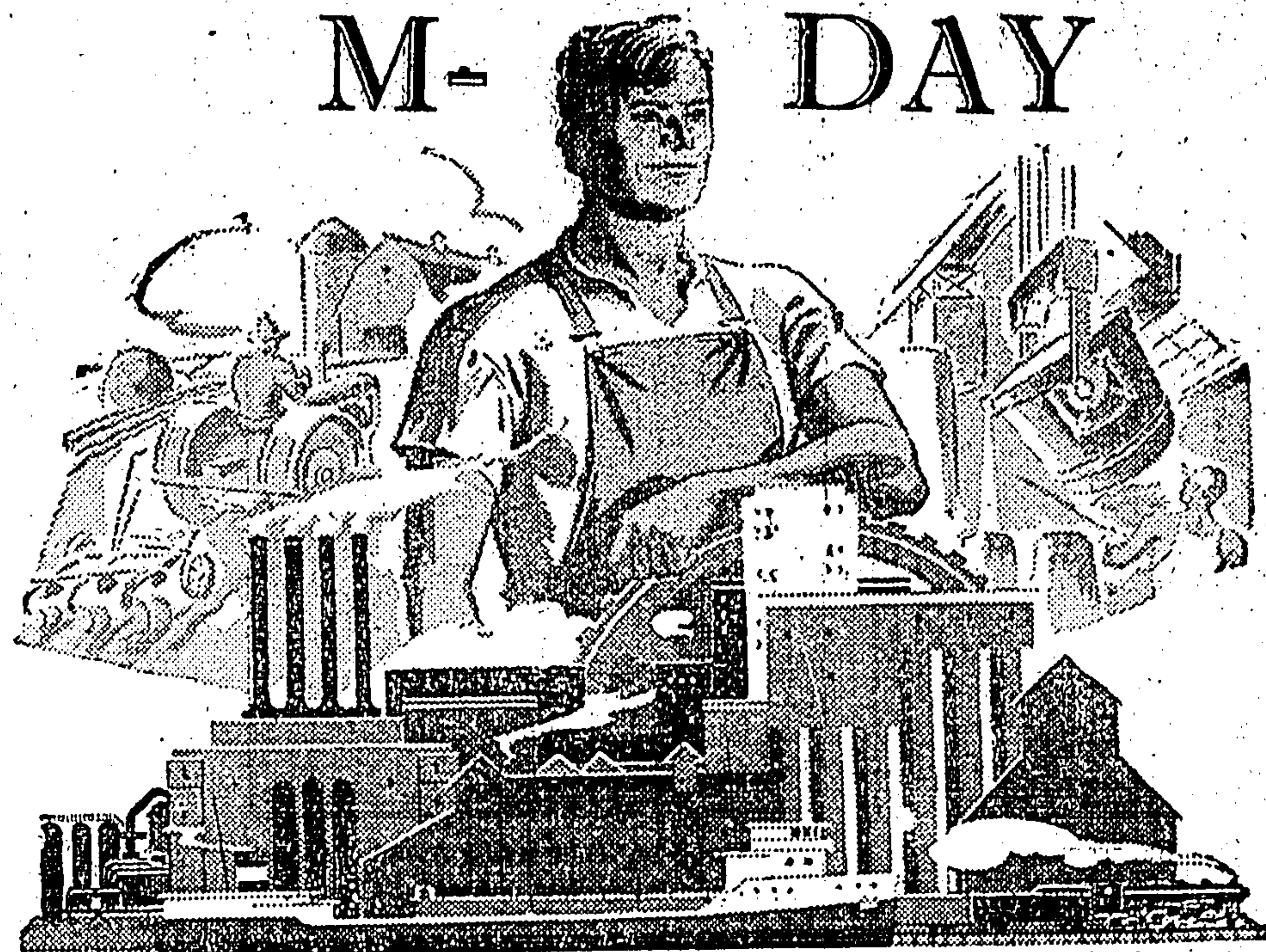
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## M- DAY



THE day that the United States enters the war, business men from Maine to California will receive telegrams from Washington announcing that the M-Day plans are to go into immediate operation. The effects will be far-reaching; overnight Uncle Sam will take over every phase of economic life, and make the United States as totalitarian as Fascist Germany. Factories, mines, shipyards, railways and labour supply will all be utilised to transform the country into a gigantic, hard-hitting war machine.

All business enterprise, all economic functions, all normal incentives will be forced to take second place on M-Day. For national defence and profits from private industry are sometimes incompatible. Gone are the days when wars could be won by "muddling through." Modern warfare demands a highly equipped army in the front lines, and a well-organised civilian population turning out the materials of war in huge quantities.

American industry is going to be regimented immediately because the government is determined not to repeat the mistakes of 1917. The early days of the Great War were chaotic. Factories were slow in adapting their machinery to produce the new materials needed; some plants were idle, while others were swamped with orders; contracts were handed out in a haphazard manner; workrooms were deserted by expert technicians who joined the fighting forces; wages rose to dizzy heights, and thousands grew fat on the profits of war orders.

The M-Day Plan is a safeguard against the recurrence of these conditions. Years of preparation and investigation will enable American industry to swing from peacetime to wartime production in the course of mere days without confusion.

What are the general outlines of the plan? How much power will the government be given? Will private enterprise be allowed to retain any of its pre-war privileges?

Ironically, the War Department started planning for this war shortly after the 1918 Armistice. The entire country was divided into 14 procurement areas; each district was thoroughly surveyed by an Army officer who made an inventory of all factories and raw materials in the vicinity assigned to him. Some 10,000 factories were specifically chosen for potential army use, while the others were kept on record, if and when they too should be needed for purposes of national defence.

Agreements are concluded with the selected factories, and orders are placed; in most cases production is to commence the day the M-Day Plan is put into operation, in others, delivery is taken during peacetime. Most of the factories concerned have to undergo certain changes to manufacture the required articles. This matter is planned thoroughly, so that

there shall be no delay in getting started. For instance, the Boston procurement area was asked to arrange for the production of 37 mm. ammunition. One firm, which normally produces car lighting systems, have listed the various machines, tools, dies, jigs and raw materials they will need when they are asked by the government to make good their contract. Similarly, in the same area, orders and specifications for 10½ million pairs of army boots have been placed for the first twelve months of the war to come—if it comes.

Exploiting existing factories for war use is one of the chief tasks of the procurement officer. Some of the things he learns is that piano factories can make fuses-lages; boat factories can turn out pontoons; chemical companies can turn to producing gas with an hour's preparation; motor companies can supply armoured trucks and tanks, while 'plane factories can manufacture bombers. In most cases, Uncle Sam has gone into these plants, and helped plan the changes necessary when M-Day comes.

How about the profits? Under the new Adjustment Compensation method, the manufacturer is paid for materials, labour, overhead, and allowed a modest profit. If he completes work at less than the estimated price, he shares in the savings. The private entrepreneur cannot refuse a government contract that is awarded to him. Like the soldier in the

front lines, the business executive is conscripted for national service, and if he balks at doing his part, the consequences are apt to be very unpleasant. There is a little clause in the Civil Draft that permits the military authorities to assign anyone not cooperating with the war effort to any part of the service. In this case, it is sure to be a distasteful job, of which there are any number in the army!

The business man who is drafted for war service in World War II will work for the government and the government alone. The \$1 a-year man of 1917-18, who made one dollar in Washington, and at the same time another \$75,000 in private industry elsewhere, will be an unknown figure.

By Meredith Johnson

Once in the employ of the government he will devote his entire time and attention to his job and receive a salary (about \$10,000) fixed by the government.

The business man who is given war work, must take his orders from Washington. If the government has reason to believe that some of the employees are inefficient, they must be discharged regardless of the factory-owner's wishes. Or if the government feels that the factory is using antiquated methods, they can order new machinery and new processes to be introduced.

For the duration of the war the President will dictate to business—big and otherwise. Every busi-

ness enterprise, from the corner grocery to the Ford Motor Company, may be required to obtain a licence. By refusing or cancelling licences the President can smother or encourage any business at his discretion. For instance, in the case of a pinch, it might be sound economics to conserve vital raw materials by restricting non-essential products. The elimination of a delicacy like ice-cream from the national diet would free 50,000 workers, and save 300,000 tons of coal and 23,000 barrels of gasoline. Similarly, if conditions warrant, we could dispense with art goods, china, fancy glassware, rugs and other luxuries.

Moreover, the government has the right to draft striking work-shops, although it is certain that there will be some safeguard offered to protect labour's hard-earned concessions. Employers can be prohibited from paying wages that are too high as well as too low; a pay-check that is too juicy will lure workers away from lower paid industries which may be all-important to the war.

The government's policy of taking men between the ages of 21-31 for military service will have serious repercussions in the branches of economic activity that are regarded as non-essential. Banks, insurance brokers, haberdashers, and retail stores are going to have a hard time getting help.

No segment of economic life has been overlooked by the authors of the M-Day Plan. The President is empowered to control the prices of the basic needs of life—food, clothing and rent. By decree he can fix the price as of a certain date, and then vary it as he deems necessary. Maximum and minimum prices for other commodities may be laid down, the prices to vary with the district. Margins of profit can be fixed, investments rigidly controlled, and the flow of capital out of the country blocked.

Obviously, the M-Day Plan violates the liberties granted to both the ordinary citizen and the business man. But it is the only way to recognise for war in an age when tanks cover 60 miles an hour and bomb-laden planes several a minute. There is no time for leisurely sessions of Congress; there is no time for debate among self-seeking groups. That is the principle upon which the M-Day Plan is based. That is why America will succeed where France failed.

On the streets of Rome bands of Fascist students amused themselves for a long time by writing outrageous insults about England on the walls of buildings.

On the Palazzo Venezia a young blackshirt had written in charcoal, "England has missed the bus." This quip attracted a good deal of attention and comment.

The next morning the police noticed that during the night a mysterious band had added a postscript underneath: "But she has enough money to take a taxi."—*Marianne, Paris.*

"Trust the people" is a sound maxim. I once saw it displayed very prominently in a certain political club, where, however, the brushes and scissors in the members' cloak-room were secured by chains.—*MAJOR HENRICE WHEELER in Blackwood's Magazine, London.*

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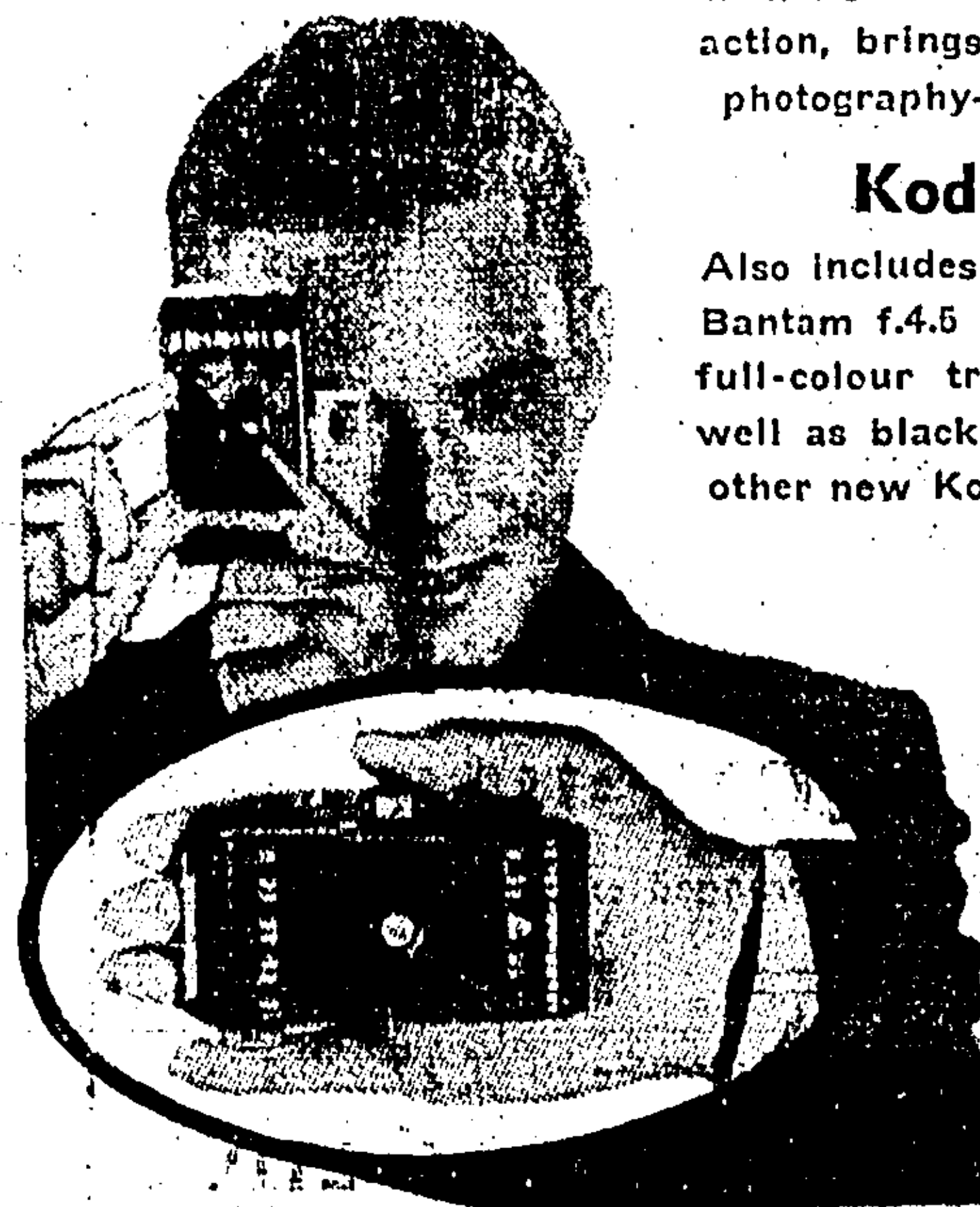
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# The World--In Lighter Vein

## WEAR IT

Prospective purchaser of mid-get car: "How do you get into it?"  
Salesman: "You don't get into it—you put it on."

## FRANK

Mother: "You know, Geoffrey, Norma is nearly 17 years old, so to-day I had a frank discussion with her about the facts of life."

Father: "Ah! Did you learn anything new?"

## IN ALL INNOCENCE

Little girl: "My, what a pretty baby. How old is it?"

Mother: "Two months."

Little Girl: "Is it your young-est?"

## THOUGHTFUL

The man in the dock was looking particularly doleful.

"Please be lenient with me, your worship," he said, addressing the magistrate. "I have a good many dependent on me for their support. It would be only fair to consider them."

A soft light came into the magistrate's eyes as he listened to this plea.

"Children?" he inquired, a touch of kindness in his voice.

The prisoner shook his head.

"No, your worship. Detectives."

## The Human Race

George Bernard Shaw was asked by a young actress for his opinion of her ability. After her rehearsal he laughed and said: "Run along and get married and have two children and learn something about life. Then maybe you will be able to act." She did just that and five years later returned to the theatre. She is now Sybil Thorndike, hailed as the greatest actress on the English stage. — *N. Y. World Telegram.*

Louis Bromfield reports his introduction to Hollywood. He was summoned into the sanctum of one of the princesses of celluloid. The great executive rose from a desk at the far end of the throne room and extended a magnanimous hand. "Good mornink," he said. "I ent goink take motch rebutation. But ve vant you should go to work here like anybody elz. You know de novel bitznitz; ve know de picture bitznitz. You do vat de subversivers telling you. . . Vrankly, ve haf hired you for de falue of your name, Mr. Brumberk." — *Houston Gargoyle.*

At a Boy Scout dinner in Australia, Lord Baden-Powell, founder of the Boy Scout movement, was asked by an artist, who had sketched him, to sign the portrait. "No," said B.-P. "If I took my pencil out of my pocket once I would be unable to put it back for five years." Unruffled, the artist eyed him and said: "Have you done to-day's good deed yet?" "As a matter of fact," B.-P. admitted, "I haven't." And he signed. — *N. Y. Sun.*

Tom Mix bought a costly yacht and joined one of the snootier yacht clubs. The Commodore of the club scolded him for wearing loud yachting attire. "Oh," groaned the Commodore, "those brass buttons! 'Brass, hell!' howled Mix. "Them's gold!" — *Walter Winchell, Daily Mirror.*

A recruit walking with his girl at Camp Funston in 1917, saw General Leonard Wood's car approaching and, to avoid saluting, stooped to tie his shoe lace. The General stopped his car and called the private. "You saw me, didn't you?" The man shuffled uneasily. "Yes, sir," he said. "But in order to avoid saluting me," the General went on, "you pretended to tie your shoe-string?" the General remarked. "I'd have said to my girl, 'Watch me make the old man take my salute.' Get the point?" The soldier saluted. "Yes, sir," he said, grinning. The General answered the salute with marked precision and drove on. — *Hermann Hagedorn, That Human Being Leonard Wood, quoted in Strategy in Handling People.*

When Mark Twain edited a newspaper in Missouri one of his subscribers wrote him that he had found a spider in his paper and wished to know whether it meant good luck or bad. Twain replied: "Finding a spider in your paper is neither good luck nor bad. The spider was merely looking over our paper to see which merchant was not advertising, so that he could go to that store, spin his web across the door and lead a life of undisturbed peace over afterward." — *Walter Winchell, Daily Mirror.*

## NO USE

Mr. Ginsburg had been complaining of insomnia. "Even counting sheep is no good," he sighed to his partner in the clothing business.

"It's only good if you count up to 10,000," replied Mr. Levy. "Try that to-night."

But the next morning Mr. Ginsburg was still complaining. "I didn't sleep a wink," he said. "I counted the whole 10,000 sheep; I sheared 'em; combed the wool; had it spun into cloth . . . made into suits . . . took 'em to Boston. . . and lost \$21 on the deal! I didn't sleep a wink!"

## THE WRONG MAN

A salesman, seeking to register at a small-town hotel, was told there were no rooms left. "But can't you manage to put me up somewhere?" he pleaded. "I'm leaving first thing in the morning."

The night clerk scratched his head. "Well, there's an extra cot in Colonel Twitchell's room," he relented. "He's an old customer, and probably wouldn't mind if you tiptoed out and didn't disturb him."

"That's fine," the traveller said. "Just call me at seven. . ."

The following morning, bright and early, he crept out of the room and hurried down to pay his bill. To his surprise, the elevator man nodded to him politely. "Good morning, Colonel Twitchell." At the desk, the clerk smiled. "Good morning, Colonel Twitchell." Bewildered, he hurried across the lobby, past a scrub-woman who looked up and wished him "Good morning, my family."

Colonel Twitchell. Taking a grip on his sanity, he hailed a cab. "To the station!" The driver nodded, "O.K., Colonel Twitchell."

At the station the ticket agent said, "Leaving for the city, Colonel Twitchell?" With a groan he staggered back from the window and, for the first time, he saw his reflection in the mirror of a slot machine.

"My God," he gasped, "they woke up the wrong man!"

## POOR PROSPECT

Jones was waiting for a bus when a stranger approached and asked the time. Jones ignored him. The stranger repeated the request. Jones continued to ignore him. When the stranger finally walked away, another waiting passenger said curiously: "That was a perfectly reasonable question. Why didn't you tell him what time it was?"

"Why?" said Jones. "Listen. I'm standing here minding my own business and this guy wants to know what time it is. So maybe I tell him what time it is. Then what? We get to talking, and this guy says, 'How about a drink?' So we have a drink. Then we have some more drinks. So after a while I say, 'How about coming up to my house for a bite to eat?' So we go up to my house, and we're eating ham and cheese in the kitchen when my daughter comes in, and my daughter's a very good-looking girl. So she falls for this guy and he falls for her. Then they get married, and any guy that can't afford a watch I don't want him in my family."

## FIRE

Officer (who has stopped fair feminine driver for speeding): "Say, where's the fire?"  
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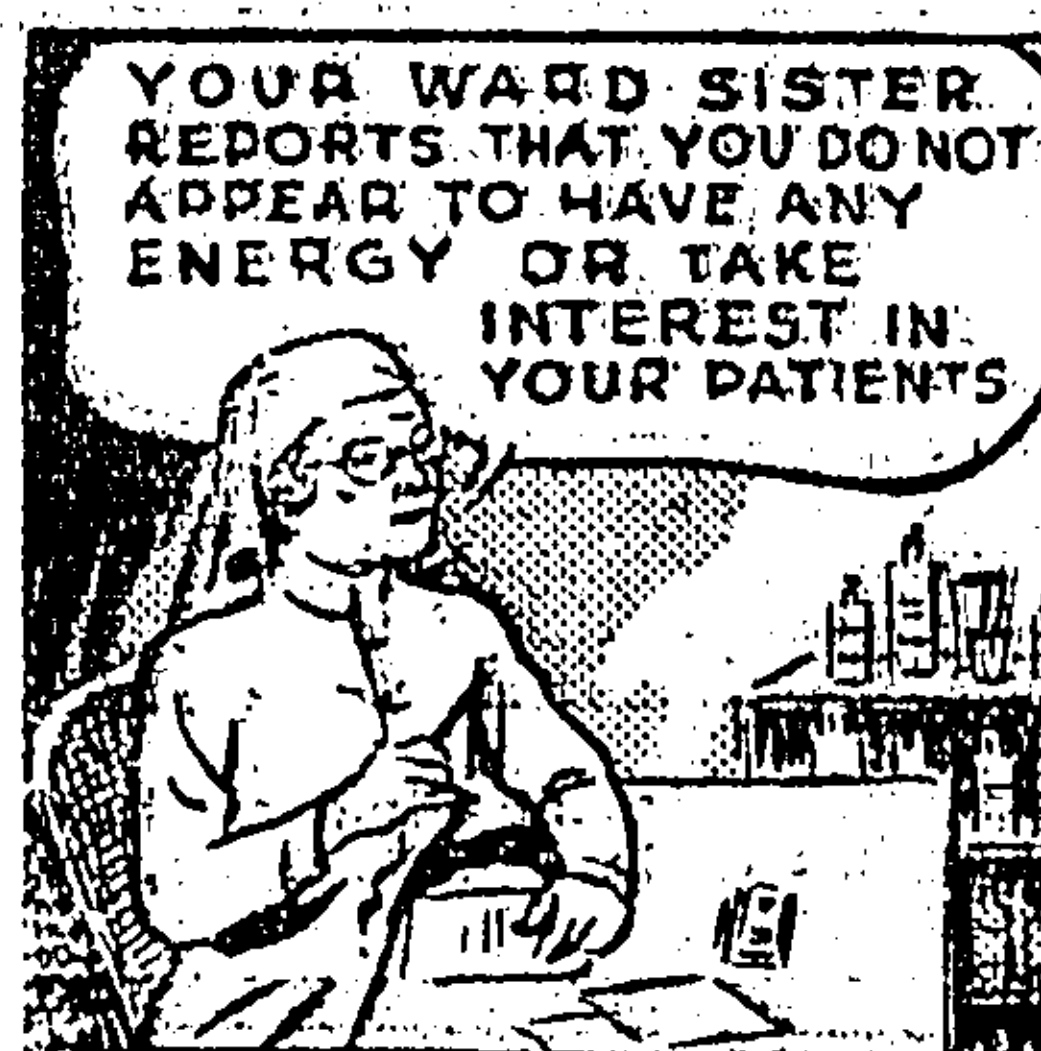
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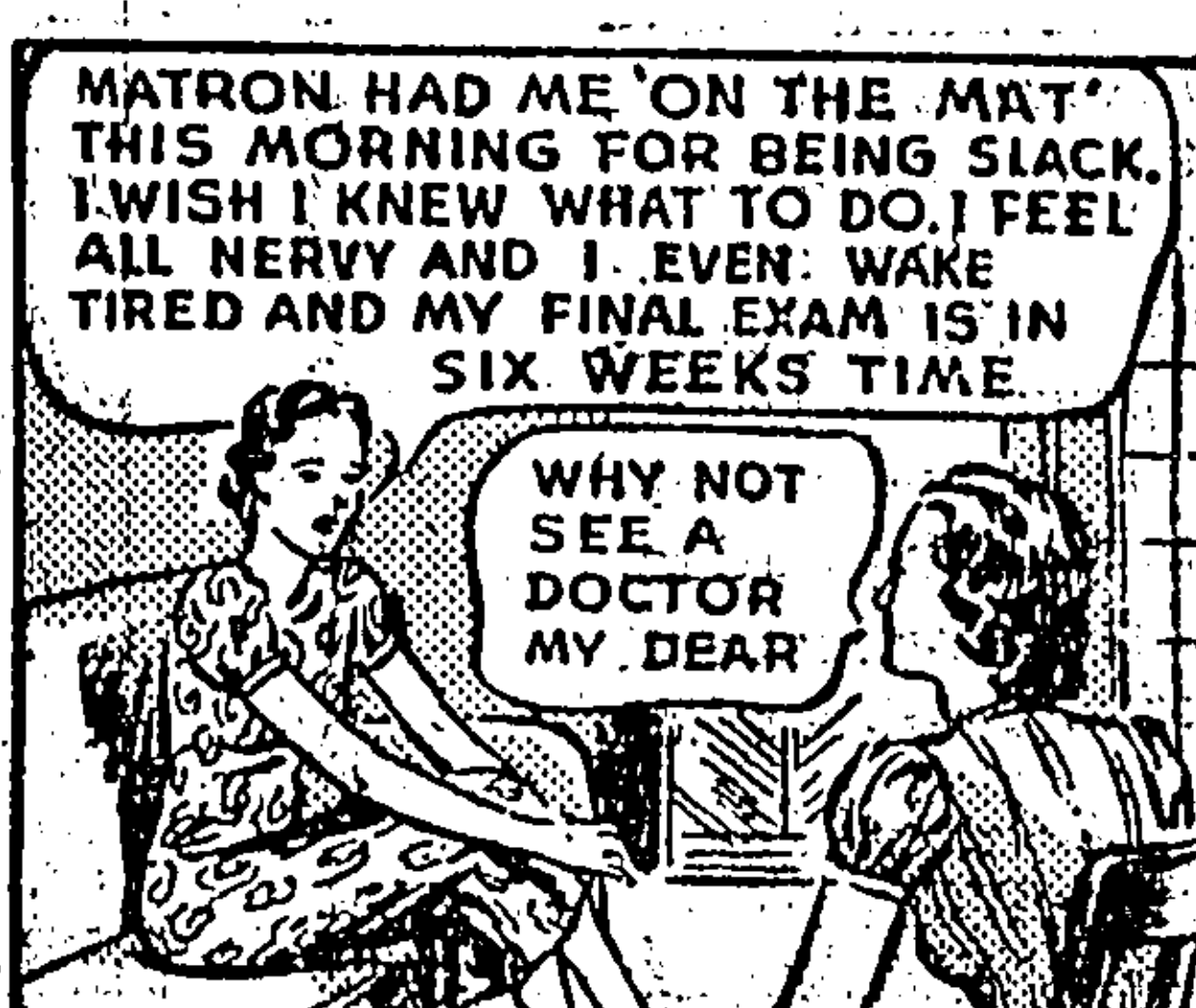
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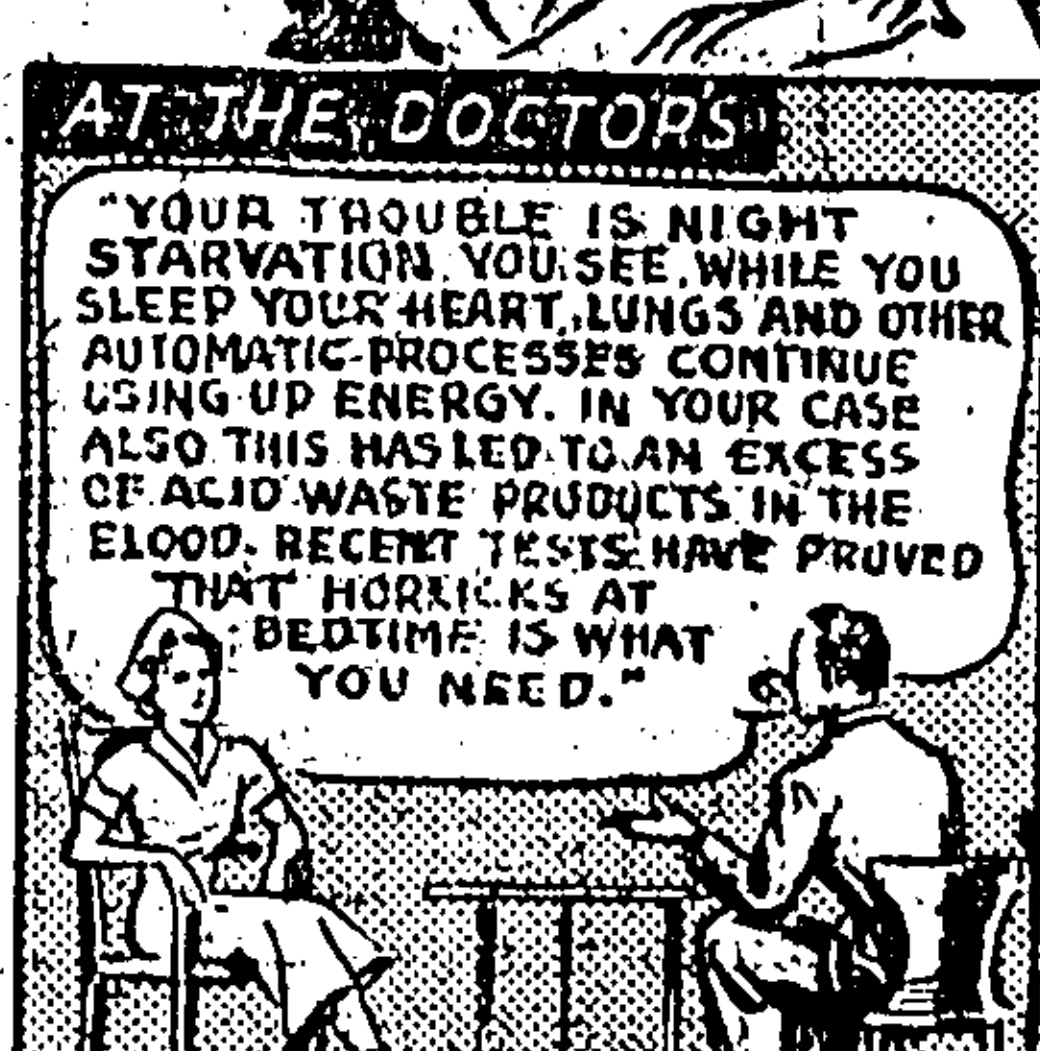


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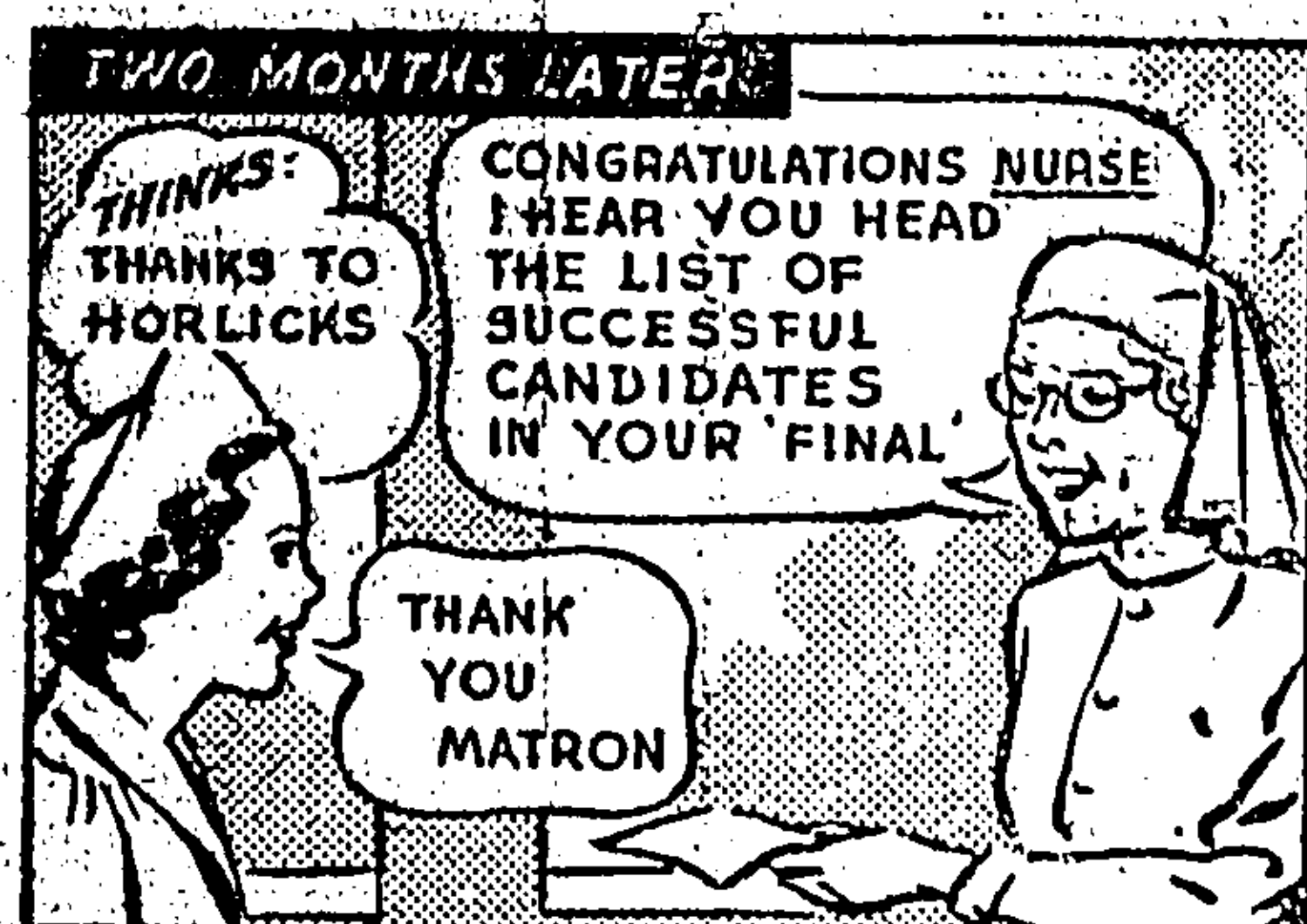
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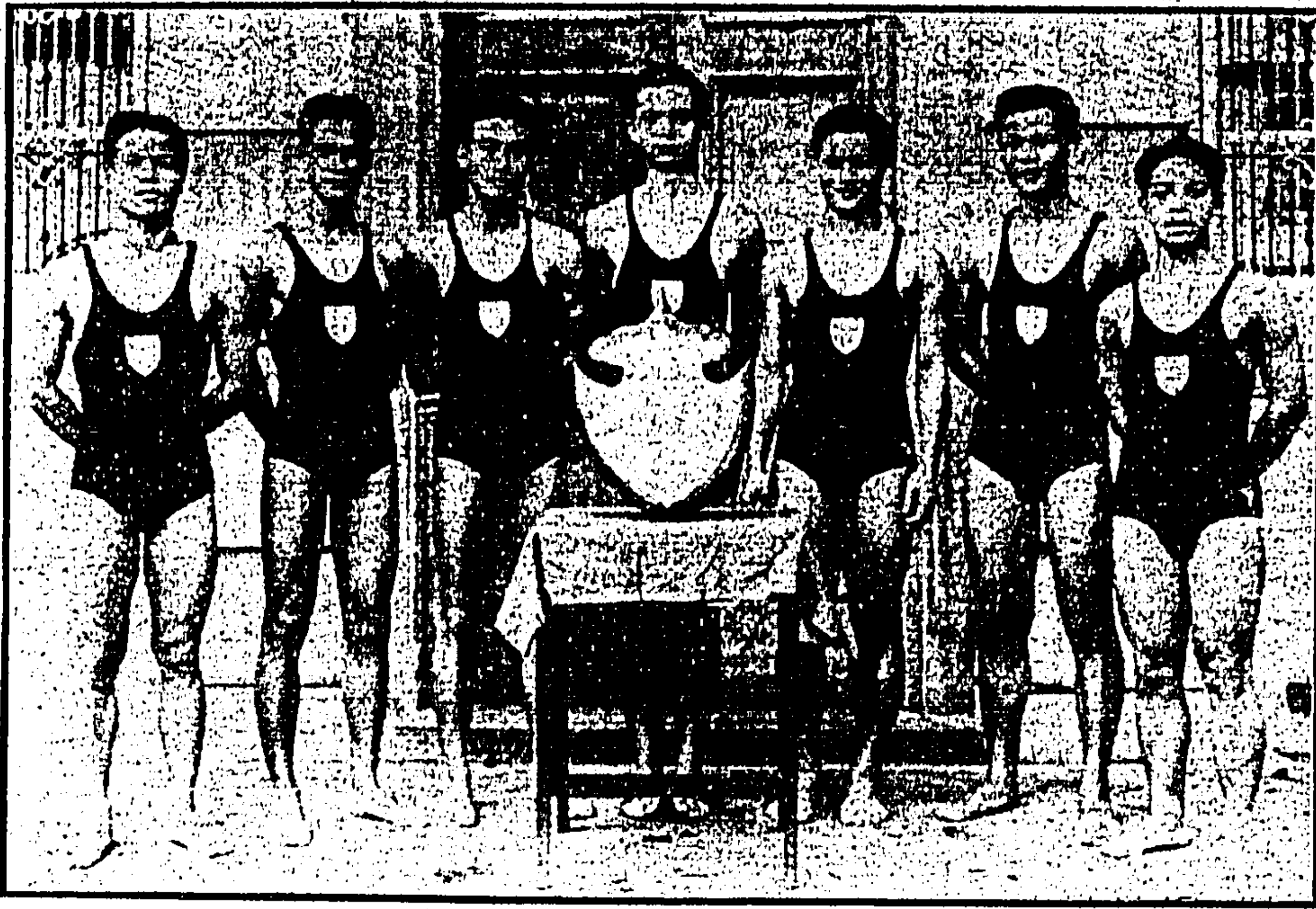
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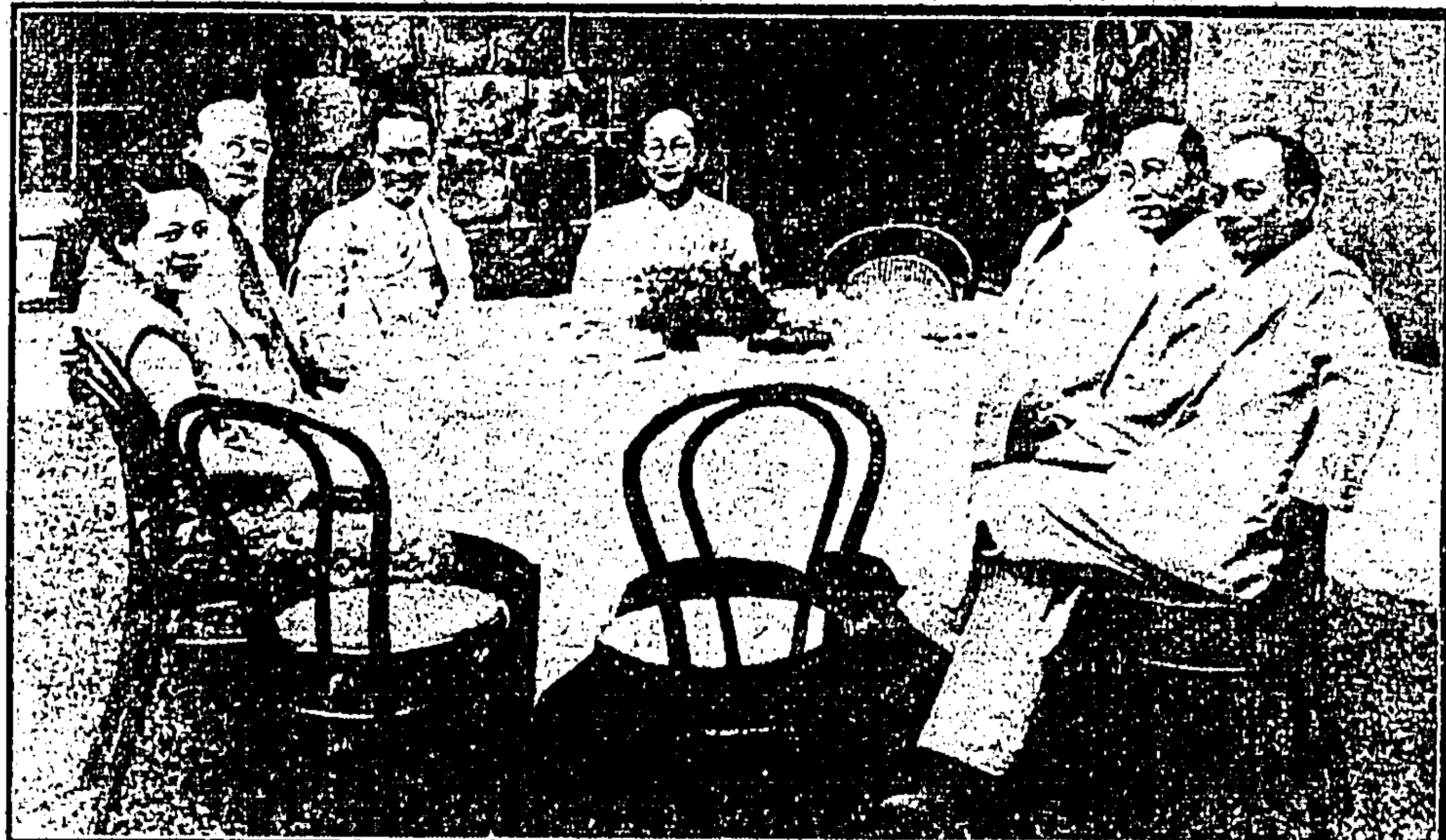
St. Joseph's College, winners of the Inter-School Swimming Championships held in the Victoria Recreation Club swimming pool last Friday. They secured four firsts and a number of placings to carry them well beyond La Salle College, their nearest rivals. (Tong).



Members of the Sino-British Cultural Association were guests at a garden party given last Friday by the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo and Mrs. Lo at their residence in Conduit Road. In this picture the hosts are seen greeting the guests on their arrival. (Tong).



Mr. K. B. Vaidya seen speaking on behalf of the president of the Indian Association on the occasion of the tea party given in the Gloucester Hotel last Sunday to celebrate the Dewali Festival holiday. Mr. J. Kirpalani, president of the Hindu Association, Mr. A. Vaswani, president of the Sindi Merchants' Association, and Mr. H. Ruttonjee, president of the Indian Association, are seen in the photograph. (Kahn).



Group taken at the garden party given by the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo and Mrs. Lo. From left to right round the table are: Mrs. Arthur Woo, the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, Dr. F. I. Tseung, Professor Lin, Dr. Arthur Woo, Dr. Li Chung Ching and Mr. M. H. Lo. (Tong).

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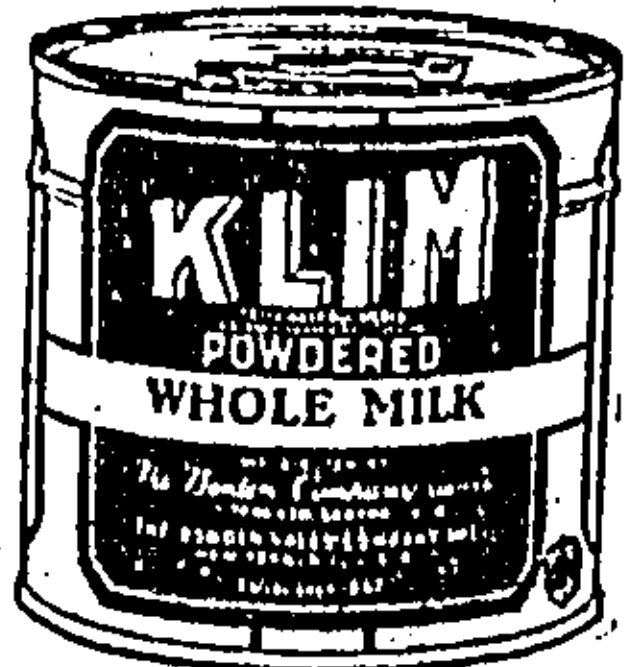


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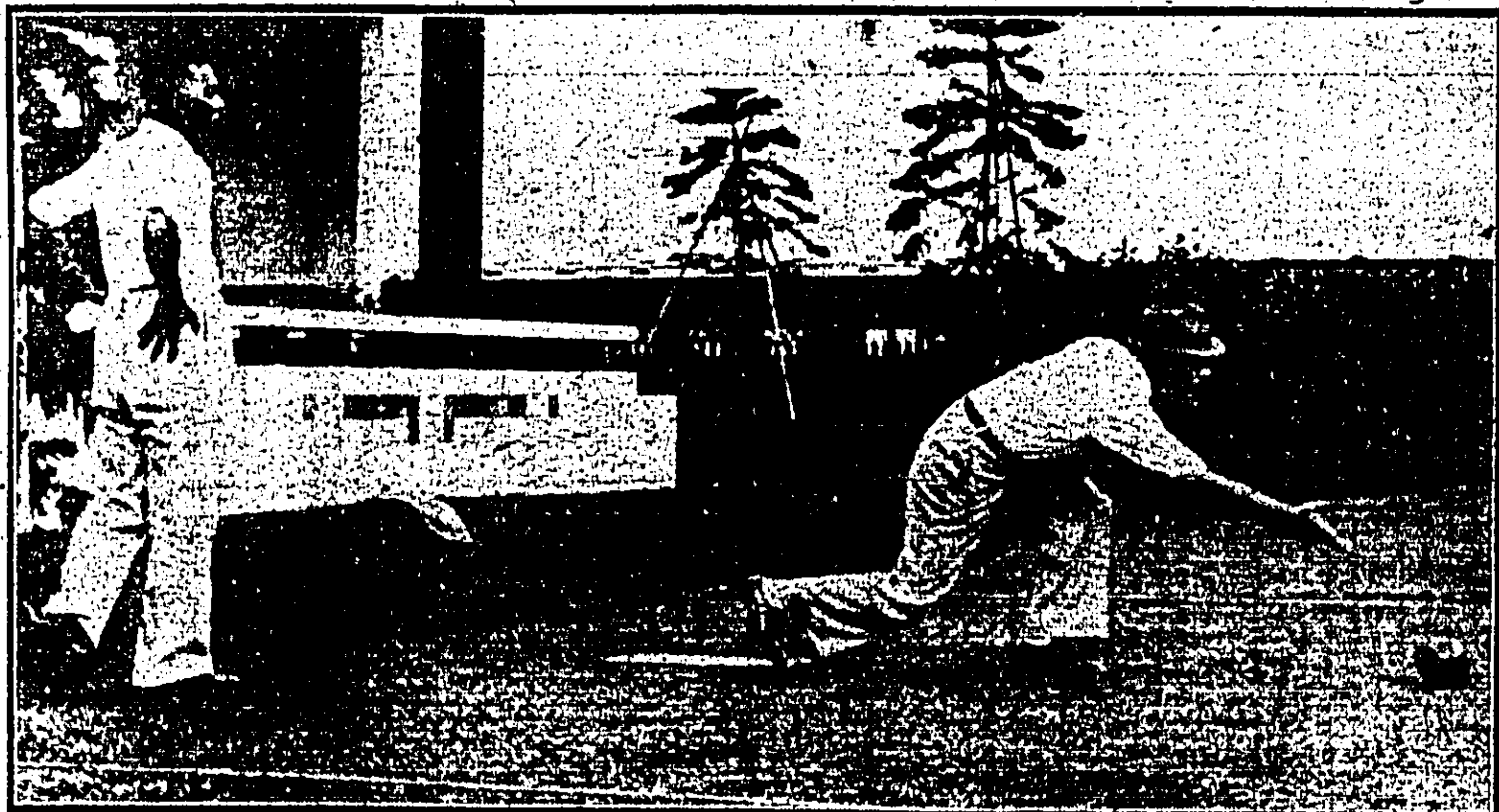


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A. J. Hall, England's skip bowling in the Final of the Gutierrez Shield International Bowls Competition last Sunday against India. U. M. Omar, India's skip, is watching intently.



A scene during the Final of the International Bowls Competition last Sunday. England is "two up" says G. H. Sherrif, England's No. 3. Others in the picture, left to right, are K. M. Omar, A. M. Rumjahn, M. N. Rakusen, Colony Singles champion, and A. H. Rumjahn.